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G O 1.—Barrack Department Regulations.

With the sanction * of the Government of India the following addition is made to the Bengal Barrack Regulations —

* Military Department No. 40— M. W dated 18th December 1893.

Paragraph 186 add as —

When not provided with quarters compensation † in lieu will be granted at the following rates —

	R.	A	P	
Hospital Assistants	8	0	0	per mensem
Sub-Hospital Assistants ..	7	0	0	per mensem

with an additional 50 per cent. on the above rates when serving at a Presidency Town

† Compensation is admissible only when its grant is more economical than the provision of quarters.

With the sanction‡ of the Government of India the following corrections are made in the Bengal Barrack Regulations —

‡ Military Department No. 4146-M W dated 22nd December 1893

Appendix C

Dele the following addition made by G O 24 of 1887 —

Furniture for Churches

(Roman Catholic and Protestant)

Letter C.

Chicks for doors and windows

Appendix A

Furniture for Churches

insert the following under the sub-heads *Roman Catholic Churches* and *Protestant Churches*

		3	4	5	
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				Section.	Paragraph
C.	Chicks for doors and windows.	To be supplied by the Public Works Department	Where absolutely necessary At market rates.		

G O 1—contd

With the sanction of the Government of India the following correction is made in the Bengal Barrack Regulations

Military Department No D dated 2nd January 1894

Para 754 —Expunge the words on first issue in penultimate line and substitute on number in use

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G O 2—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations India, Vol II Discipline —

Para. 7 page 12 —In column ' Puggri *opposite* Aden Troop *expunge* Red and *insert* Khaki with black and white ends and black Karlbash

Para 215.—line 7 revised section V —*Erase* the words and 1st October

Para. 783 —*Expunge* the sentence ' (In the Bombay Presidency they are termed Pay Orderlies)

Para 886 —Clause (*a*) is reconstructed as follows —

(*a*) The rules for the management of treasure chests and funds of all regiments of Bengal and Punjab Infantry (except Guides Infantry) are fully detailed in " Regimental Accounts, Native Infantry 1892 (promulgated by G O No. 4 of 1893) and must be strictly observed by all corps concerned

Para 886 —Clauses (*c*) to (*f*) are cancelled

Para. 1349.—*Dele* the full stop after the word sixteen in first clause and *add* " except in the Guides Cavalry in which the number of signallers to be maintained is twelve only

Para 1546 (as reconstructed by G O No 78 of 1891 —

In line 14 after ' Medical *insert* and Veterinary

G O s—contd

Para. 1547 —Last clause is revised as follows —

For rules regarding the grant of leave to probationers for the Staff Corps including those appointed from the Unattached List, see sub-section I of section IV

Para 1563 is reconstructed as follows —

1563 —Applications are not to be made to the Adjutant General s Office for the cancelment of unexpired portions of leave. In the case of officers of the British service, the dates of return from leave as entered in the muster rolls and monthly returns will suffice for all purposes In the case of other officers the report (para. 1645) of an officer's arrival and return to duty virtually cancels all unexpired portions of leave or furlough out of India but officers rejoining from leave or furlough in India (whether such leave or furlough has expired or not) must report the date of their return to duty Transmitting authorities will certify to the accuracy of such reports and forward them in Bengal, to the Adjutant General in India for transmission to the Military Department in Madras and Bombay these reports will be sent to the Adjutant General of the Presidency and not transmitted to Government

Para. 1573 —*k.*

In line two *for* uniform *substitute* mess and at end *add* ' except at the banquet given annually by His Highness the Maharaja in honour of the birthday of the Queen Empress when they must wear mess dress.

Para 1589.—Is revised as follows —

Officers are at liberty to proceed wherever they may desire on privilege leave provided they can ensure their return before the expiration of the leave subject to para 1571, but as regards probationers for the Staff Corps and officers of the Unattached List, see the rules in sub-section I, section IV If an officer proceeds to a place from which he cannot ensure his return within the term of his privilege leave he will be liable to the consequences of over staying such leave and authorities should not sanction an officer s application if there is just ground for supposing that he cannot return within the prescribed period.

G O 2—contd

Para. 2279 (*b*) as inserted by G O No 62 of 1892 is cancelled and the following substituted —

2279 (*b*) —Short service men of good character of seven years service and upwards may with the sanction of the Commander in Chief in India be permitted (in special cases where employment is obtained or guaranteed and likely to be of a permanent nature and the state of the corps permits) to remain in India on transfer to the Army reserve. The men for transfer will be selected according to the merits of each case and no men of the undermentioned classes will be transferred, *viz* —

(*a*) Re-engaged men

(*b*) Men who have received bounty on extending their service

(*c*) Drummers trumpeters buglers or pipers

(*d*) Men enlisted as boys who are in the band or employed as tailors.

(*e*) Men with characters less than " Good

(*f*) Men undergoing imprisonment

Add as para. 2279 (*l*)—

2279 (*l*) —*Retransfer to the colors from the 1st class Army reserve*

Army reserve men may be permitted to rejoin units serving in India provided—

(*a*) They have not been more than 12 months away from the colors

(*b*) The Officer Commanding the Corps they wish to join is willing to receive them

(*c*) They refund in a lump sum the deferred pay issued to them on transfer to the reserve

All men rejoining the colors (including those who were transferred as non-commissioned officers) will rejoin in the rank of private Men who do not fulfil the above conditions cannot rejoin the colors without reference to the home authorities.

G O 2—contd

Add new para 2310 (b)—Native officers of under 21 years' service whose senses and mental perceptions and general intelligence have become so dull and impaired as to render them unable to perform their military duties to the satisfaction of their Commanding Officers and up to the requirements of the service and those whose presence is an encumbrance to the regiment will be brought before special Boards to be convened under the orders of the Commander in Chief of the Presidency and the proceedings when closed will be forwarded to the Adjutant General of the Presidency accompanied by a copy of the record of service and character roll of the native officer for confirmation by the Commander in Chief

Para. 2417—*Add* certified copies of the soldier's squadron, troop battery or company défaulter sheet certified extracts showing the charge finding and sentence of any Court Martial by which he has been tried and copies of any convictions by th civil power should accompany the roll.

Paras 2418 to 2420 are cancelled and the following substituted —

2418—Recommendations for the good conduct medal with or without gratuity are also to be prepared on India Army Form 21 (a single copy for *each* individual) and forwarded to the Adjutant General on the first day of each quarter commencing on the 1st January They will be accompanied with reference to the entire service of the soldier, by certified copies of his squadron troop, battery or company defaulter sheet certified extracts showing the charge finding and sentence of any Court Martial by which he has been tried and copies of any convictions by the civil power

2419—Th grant of a good conduct medal is intended as a reward for a long course of service with irreproachable character and conduct Commanding Officers will therefore, take special care to recommend only such soldiers as are in every way worthy of this honourable distinction Except under special circumstances a soldier should not be

G O —contd

recommended unless he is in possession of four good conduct badges and even when eligible both in this respect and by the requisite length of service (18 years) regard must be had to his conduct throughout his career and to the number and *nature* of the offences recorded in his squadron troop battery or company defaulter sheet, irrespectively of the punishments which may have been awarded The service of a soldier under 18 years of age may be included in the 18 years service required to qualify for a good conduct medal

2419 *a* —A non-commissioned officer convicted by Court Martial and reduced to the ranks or to a lower grade for any offence for which he would not have been tried had he been a private soldier shall, if his conduct has been good for a continuous period of five years from the date of such reduction not be precluded from receiving the good conduct medal

2419 *b* —A non-commissioned officer remanded to regimental duty for misconduct but afterwards re-admitted to the Unattached List, comes under the rules laid down in the preceding paragraph—*i e* he is to be treated in regard to the reward as if he had been tried and reduced for the offence which entailed his remand

2420 —Any non commissioned officer or soldier who has been twelve times entered in the regimental defaulter book or who has ten cases of drunkenness recorded against him or who has been convicted by a Court Martial within the last eighteen years or by the civil power for felony or any other offence of a disgraceful nature, or who as a non commissioned officer has been drunk under arms is absolutely ineligible for these rewards

2423 *a* —When soldiers qualified by length of service have distinguished themselves by gallantry and zeal in the service after the commission of any offence by which they were rendered ineligible they may be recomm[illegible] but the circumstances must be fully explained A soldier who within the last eighteen years has only [illegible] convicted as a non commissioned officer of a [illegible]

C O 2—contd

which he would not necessarily have been tried had he been a private soldier, may be recommended on the con ditions laid down in paragraph 2419, provided that his squadron troop battery or company defaulter sheet shows a probation of five years continuous good conduct since the date of his reduction

2420 *b*—It must be clearly understood that the mere fact of a soldier having fulfilled these conditions does not give any claim to either medal or gratuity

2420-*c*—Commanding Officers are not to abstain from recommending deserving Sergeants for the good conduct medal on the ground that they have been or are about to be, recommended for the medal with annuity, as the former may be enjoyed until the medal with annuity is awarded

2420 *d*—The medal issued with an annuity, and in scribed " For Meritorious Service,' cannot be held by a Sergeant concurrently with the good conduct medal but either of these medals may be held together with the medal For Distinguished Conduct in the Field '

Para 2421—line 1 *for* gratuity" *substitute* ' Good Conduct Medal

Para 2423 is cancelled

Add new para.—

2474 A—Confidential communications should be enclosed in an inner envelope marked secret or confiden tial according to the nature of the contents.

Para 2540-I—In line 4 *after* the word " number" *add* ' and subject "

Paras 2574 and 2575—Under " Half yearly *erase* and 1st October in column 3 against the entry ' Confidential report on the qualifications of unemployed officers

Para 2594—In line 7 *omit* " para. 8

Para. 2620—Under heading '25—Pay Books" *add* " (Madras and Bombay)

Para. 2621,—line 8, item 6, *dele* " Bengal and '

G O 2—concld

Para. 2627—Under heading ' 6—Ledger' *dele* Bengal and *expunge* the first four lines of the paragraph.

Para 2634 line 4 item 2—*Dele* " Bengal and, line 6 item 3 *dele* Bengal and, line 11 item 6 *dele* and clothing'

Para 2636—Under heading ' 2—Account of Clothing and Necessaries *dele* " Bengal.'

Para. 2637—Under heading ' 3—Account of hutting money *dele* Bengal and

Para 2650—*Add* at end—

Pay lists vouchers and other miscellaneous pay office records should be disposed of every three years in accordance with the instructions contained in the War Office Financial Instructions.

Para. 2753 is reconstructed as follows —

2753—An annual return of the non commissioned officers and soldiers serving under their orders will be furnished to the Adjutant General on 1st January by all heads of departments and other authorities under whom they may be employed In Bengal and Madras blank forms of this return will be furnished by the Adjutant General to be filled in and returned In Bombay, Bombay Form 114 will be used

Sub-section I section IV, " Staff Corps has been revised, and copies will be issued to all concerned.

In G O 49 of 1893 *for* " Para 1850-B, " *read* ' Para 1885 A.

G O 3—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made to Army Regulations, India, Vol VIII, ' Veterinary "—

Para. 292 revised by G O 45 of 1892, *substitute* " 1st May " for ' 1st April in fourth line

Para. 292 A *substitute* " on 1st April ' for " later than the 15th March in second line.

G O 4.—Clothing—Dress.

The following corrections are made to Army Regulations, India Volume VII, 'Dress" —

Page 61 line 36 *dele* the words ' British officers wear drab helmets.

Section XIV, page 80, line 34, *after* ' 16th Bengal Infantry *add*—

" Silver cross axes are worn on the collar by the officers, 34th Pioneers

Section XIV, page 81, line 14 between ' 33rd and 38th *insert* 34th Pioneers'

Section XIV page 83 line 28 after Garter *add* " The 34th Pioneers wear a badge of the same device as that on helmet.

Section XIV page 83 line 31 *after* ' pages 7 and 8 *add* Silver cross axes are worn on the collar by the officers 34th Pioneers

Section XIV page 84, line 27 *dele* and and *after* 32nd *add* ' and 34th Pioneers

Section XIV, page 84 line 32, *after* ' 5th Bengal Light Infantry, *add* The 34th Pioneers also wear German silver cross axe collar badges.'

Page 100, *expunge* ' 10th Regiment ' and all entries opposite

Page 100 *after* " 11th Regiment *insert*—

" 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion)	The garter in a laurel wreath with XII Madras Infantry, 2nd Burma Battalion " inserted thereon and surmounted by an Imperial Crown. Within the garter th Burmese peacock.	By British officers (peacock) silver remainder badge gilt) in front of the helmet, and on the forage and peace manoeuvre caps. By native officers, rank and file, in brass and white metal in front of the puggrie.

G O 4—contd

Page 102 —*Expunge* 30th Regiment ' and all entries opposite and substitute the following —

30th Regiment (5th Burma Batta lion).	The figure 5 over th Roma numeral XXX, the 5 enclosed in a scroll beari g the words Burma Battal on, the XXX nclosed in a scroll beari g the words Madras Infantry the whole nclosed i a Sikh quoit ormounted by a crown and entwined with laurel od scroll bearing the words Ava, Afghan istan, 1878-80 Burma 1885-87	1 In silver by British officers in front of helmet I full dress. 2. In brass (with quoit in white metal) o the activ service and peace manoeuvre caps.

Page 102 —*Expunge* 31st Regiment " and all en tries opposite, and substitute the following —

31st Regiment (6th Burma Bat talion)	Crossed dahs sur mo nted by Imperial crown with 6th Burma Bat talion I uppo and ide angle d " XXXI in lower angle of cross. The handles of dahs joined by scroll bearing the words Madras Light Infantry	I silver by British officers in fro t of the helmet and forage cap. I white metal by native ranks in front of the pugrie.
	Crossed dahs	I silver by British officers on the collar and active service cap. In white metal by native officers on the collar

Page 102 —*Expunge* 32nd Regiment and all en tries opposite, and substitute the following —

32nd Regiment (4th Burma Bat talion)	An Elepha t with IV bove nd Burma below Th whole nclosed I a garter with XXXII Regiment, Madras Infantry " in raised letters thereon surmounted by an Imperial Crown	By British officers (elepha t in white metal remainder of badge gilt) on the active service and peace manoeuvre caps and pouch By native fficers on pouch.

G O 4—concld

Page 102 —*Expunge* 33rd Regiment and all entries opposite, and sub titute the following —

"33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion)	Th R yal Burmese p cock, on roll in cr b 1 III Burma Bat talion selected by a Sikh quoit with XXVIII Made In a try s ribe I th r on	By Briti h fficers (pea cock and quoit in il er re n and r of bad e gl t) on button for active service a d pe ce manœuvre caps.

Section XVII page 117 line 9 *aft r* Boots, *dele* Napoleon " and *sub t tute* 1st 2nd and 3rd Regiments knee boots 5th R gim nt Hessian and *dele* the note commencin with th word Napoleon boots line 10

Page 122 line 6 *aft r* "Boots *dele* Napoleon " and *substitute* " 1st 2nd and 3rd Regiments knee boots, 5th Regiment Hes an

Page 160 —For th words Staff Officer Army Hospi tal Native Corps *read* Assi tant Secretary to the Principal Medical Officer Her Majesty Forces in India

G O 5—Discharges—British Army—General.

The follow ng correction i made in the Regulations for the Discharge of British Soldiers serving in India —

Para 27 as added by G O 24 of 1893 —

In third line *for* " eight y ars *read* seven years.

G O 6.—Drill and Instructions.

The rules for competition for prizes for Sword and Lance practice published with Army Orders dated War Office 1st September 1892 having been issued to regiments of British Cavalry the Commander in Chief directs the attention of Commanding Officer thereto

During the hot season of the year from the 15th April to 15th October Squadron Commanders will practise their men in the use of the sword and lance at least on two occasions weekly classes also being formed for instruction in single stick exercise.

The following only are to contend for the swordmanship prizes mentioned in Army Regulations, India, Volume I Part 1, Articles 1195-96-97, as amended by India Army Circulars of 1893 clause 75

G O 6—contd

Those who—

(*a*) Are proficient in single stick and fencing after a complete course of instruction

(*b*) Can perform the sword exercise perfectly, both mounted and dismounted.

(*c*) Can go through the lessons for attack and defence as laid down in the Cavalry Drill 1891

(*d*) Can perform the post practice, with leaping bar in the riding school and manége

Squadron Registers will be kept of the amount of instruction each man receives (Form A)

Arrangements will also be made by Commanding Officers to send sufficient fencing apparatus with the detachments of young soldiers going to the hills for the hot season to enable their instruction being continued while there

Similar Registers will be kept of their Instruction

FORM A.

Squadron *Cavalry Lancers*

Register of Instruction in Sword and Lance

Regimental No.	Rank and Name		Instruction [illegible] Lance.			
			[illegible] January [illegible]	[illegible] January [illegible]	[illegible] January [illegible]	[illegible] February [illegible]
[illegible]	—	—	1	—	1	
[illegible]	—	—	—	1	1	—
[illegible]	—	—			—	
[illegible]	—	—	—	—		

G O No 68 of 1890 is cancelled.

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G O. 7—Books—Forms.

The following have been revised —

Army Form B 275 "Battery Practice Report R A. (Horse and Field)

The revised form will be taken into use at once and all old forms destroyed

Army Form B. 276 "Range Report R A. (Horse and Field)

The revised form will be taken into use at once and all old forms destroyed

2 The following Madras Military Forms have been allotted India Army Form numbers —

419. 'Death certificate No. 1 India Army Form No 365

420 ' Death certificate No. 2 India Army Form No 366

421 Death certificate No 3 India Army Form No. 367

3 The following Madras Account Form has been allotted an India Army Form number —

415. Sepoys Remittance Roll, India Army Form No 368

4. The following India Army Forms which were introduced by G O 66 of 1893 will be issued as follows —

India Army Form 357—On payment as demanded.

India Army Form 358—On payment as demanded

India Army Form 359—Gratis as required

India Army Form 360—On payment as demanded

India Army Form 361—On payment as demanded

India Army Form 362.—Gratis as required

India Army Form 363.—On payment as demanded.

5. India Army Form 1 B introduced by G O No 58 of 1893 will be issued gratis as required

G O 7—contd

6 The following alteration has been made in Army Form B-.64.

Place a dagger against the word " worthless " in the second line of the para printed in red ink, and add the following foot note

" †Or for misconduct."

7 The following has been cancelled :—

Army Form B-202 " Long Service Attestation, Duplicate for Recruit "

The existing stock will be used up, pending the introduction of revised Army Form B-2065

By order of

His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India,

W GALBRAITH *Major General,*

Adjutant General in India

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G O 8—Drill and Instruction—Musketry—Books.

The following amendments and corrections are made in the Musketry Regulations for the Native Army 1892 —

Corrections in the Musketry Regulations for the Native Army

Page	Para.	Line.	Corrections.
5	2		Add as note to para at foot of page — Sub-section is to be substituted for "section" wherever necessary throughout.
6	6	6	Dele and after Sehore, and after Itarsi *add* and Harda.
13	39	6 7 & 8	For 42," 28, 26" under "Cavalry and Sappers and Miners *read* 42, " 42, 20.
14	Table	A.	2nd Period Individual For 7 opposite 500 *read* Infantry 7 Cavalry and Sappers and Miners 14
			3rd Period Individual For 7 opposite " 600 *read* Infantry 7 Cavalry and Sappers and Miners 14.
			Insert dagger immediately before 700 and 800 in the 4th column, 3rd Period and add the following foot note :— † Cavalry and Sappers and Miners do not perform these practices.
			1st Period. For " sitting in 6th column *read* sitting or kneeling
			Dele the instructions under judging distance practice" in the last column, and insert the following —
			" Six practices of four answers each not more than one practice to be executed in one day See para. 122."
			Dele Note 3 at foot of table.
			Note 4. *For* will *read* may
15	45	...	Dele.

G O 8—contd

Page.	Para.	Line.	Corrections
17	Table B		I both the 1st and 2nd Period tables i sert " or kneel ng after sitti g in the position column. After " individual firing in the second line of Note 1 *insert* " dur g the current season. Note 2 is cancelled and the following substituted :— A a rul only 7 ro nds must be fired in on day in the 1st Period Command g Officers may however use their discretion in allowing any umber not exceeding 14 i the 1 t Period and 15 in the 2nd Period.
18	Table	B.	1st Period. After sitting opposite " 500 *add* or kneeling Miscellaneous and field practices After two in second column opposite " attack *insert* or more Note 1 line 4, for " recorded i the annual return *read* included when calculating the figure of merit. Note 2 is cancelled and the following substitut ed :—As a rul only 7 rounds must be fired in one day in the 1st Period nd 10 rounds in the 2nd Period, nd Miscellaneous and Field practices. Commandi g Officers may however use their discretion in llowing any n mber not exceeding 14 in the 1st Period nd 15 in the 2nd Period and Miscellaneous and Field practices.
26	56	1 to 6	Dele from " the in line 1 to " shots in line 6, and substitute :— In the fi i g exercise the soldier is taught to load and fire individually in the several military positions, first by numbers, then i quick time H is also taught volley and independent firing i one rank in all positions and in two ranks; also fire discipline and control of fire drill.

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Page.	Para.	Line.	Corrections.
...		13 d 14	Dele from the second the l line 13 to apart l line 14, nd *substitute* or in extended order "
28	...	...	D le last two lines.
29	...	...	I sert n asterisk after fire in margin, and add the follow ng f ot note :—
			This command fire should be given as for vol ley firing
30			Add the following note in margin opposite the upper figure —
			The left hand should be inside the sling which should be loosened.
31	...	13 and 14	*For* press the trigger and close the lever *read* close the lever and press the trigger
36	...	...	Add the following note under the lower figure :— Legs hould be separated.
40	...	...	Dele the figure.
41	...	...	Del from an in line 1 to wrist in line 23.
44	...	8	Dele " each section and for " commander *read* " comma ders
44	...	9 and 10	Dele r commence as the case may be and insert fire at at (distance), &c. as may be ordered."
47	...	19	After defensive l last line *add* or to troops, specially told off to cover the advance of the assaulting lines.
48	29	1 & 2	Dele from the object " l line 1 to " moving objects l line 2, and substitute " at aiming drill the soldier is taught how to aim at stationary moving nd vanishi g objects, and how to adjust the back s ght of his rifle."
50	63	11	*For* independent *read* " individual."

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Page.	Para.	Line.	Corrections.
51	72	1	Del improvised."
53	73	3	*For* 600 *read* "800."
...	..	9	Dele 2nd class.
...	75	..	Add:—In addition to the ordinary aiming targets the following are recommended — "Screens of various colours, 6, 8 or 10 feet long by 1½ feet high with heads painted on them. These screens may be placed on mounds parapets of bridges, roofs of houses &c.
...	76	3 and 12	After eye *add* Aiming at the eye is, however strictly prohibited when dummy cartridges are being used."
60	101	..	Dele all fractions in the table, except in column remarks
60	..	Last	*For* 12" in remark column opposite gallop *read* "15.
61	104	1 & 2	Dele "and" in first line, and after non-commissioned officers *add* "and recruits.
...	..	3 & 4	Substit te a full stop for the comma after "object," and dele from "so to "rifle.
—	106	..	Dele and substitute the followi g:— Those under instruction re to be taught to judge distance on men or objects placed first at known and then at unknown distances. All known dis tances are to be accurately measured.
61 and 62	107 108 109	... .	Dele
63	...	...	Insert paragraphs 234 to 237 at page 95 after paragraph 119, and renumber them 119-A 119-B 119 C., and 119-D
64	120	1 & 2	Dele and in line 1 and *insert* and recruits after non-commissioned officers.

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Page.	Para.	Line.	Corrections.
...	...	4	Dele from withia to " down.
64	12	1 & 2	Dele from British to senior and after nati officers *insert* or non-commissioned officers.
...	122		Ca cel and substitute the following — At each practice four were will be given at such distances as the ground will admit.
65	126	7	After " checked insert an asterisk, nd add the fol lowing foot note :—
			* A red flag held bunti g downwards signifies that the po ts or party re to come nearer, upwards the reverse and when held horizontally the direction in which they are required to move.
66	132	4	*For* downards *read* " downwards."
69	140	5	*For* register keeper *read* " non-commissioned offi cer
7*	151	1 to 4	Cancel from first " the l line 1 to " firing " in line 4, nd substitute The sling l always to be worn and loosened at target practice and may be used as a support. No o her description of rest is per mitted, except t field practices."
71	..	2	After but *insert* with the above exceptions.
72	159	3	Dele from that t nd of paragraph and substitute "that of a body of recruits will be determi ed by the percentage obtained in individual fiel g
73	...	...	Add as paragraph 162-A :—Regiments are required to provide their own targets. They must consist of woode or iron (knife edge towards the firer) frames covered with commo ca vas or cloth and paper on which the bulls-eyes are either pasted or painted and the remaining divisions outlined with pen or pencil.

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Page.	Para.	Line	Corrections.
73	165	3 & 4	Substit te unload for perform the first motion of the cease fire
74	169	5	*For* 23 *read* " 32.
75	172	Last	For I. A. Form 139 *read* I A Form 138.
79	...	15	After " r versed " add —Neither sighting hots nor trial volleys are p rmitted in collective or field practices nor is sign ll g the direction of the volley o ombe of hits between any of the volleys of a practice permitted.
...	...	31	Dele fr m A company to " half company " in line 34
...	...	Last two l nes.	*F* 35 " *read* 45. nd *for* 7 *read* 8
80	...	1	*For* 35 *read* " 45
...	...	14	After usual i sert —With this exception the volleys ar to be fired at each backward and for ward run of the target.
...	...	27	Dele with bayo ets fixed.
...	...	28	Dele w th sights unadjusted
			Del from the in line 28 to ready in line 30, nd batitute :— The time llowed for these practices is one mi ute fr r 7 rounds to be taken from the word " com mence f om the peri tendi g officer; the men havi g been previously br ught to the ready and the sights adju ted.
83	179	5 & 6	Dele from " as far as to permit
...	...	7	Dele from " each section or to position " i line 8, page 84, and substitute —

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Page	Para.	Line	Corrections.
			Two or more sections of company will be drawn up in ext nded order t 600 yards with t least two paces betwee sections. The advance may be general lin in quick time from 600 yards to 150 yards or thus to about 500 yards; and then by the dva ce in double time of separate or alternate or uccessive sections. Duri g the adva ce 8 rounds will b fired by section olleys, nd t 150 yards 2 rounds will be fired independently kneeling. Whilst ad ncing i a general li e the directing secti must be 2 or 3 paces in advance, so that the rear sections may not overlap when they halt. The command volley fir ng need only be given to the leading section caution to h lt, the rem i ing sections will halt i line with it without word of command a d section commanders will then give the command ready As soo a volley ha been delivered the men must come t the rest position kneeling unless fir g lyi g down, whe they will remai in that position The leaf of the backsight, if raised must be put down whe the men advance If from the nature of the ground th me cannot see to fire lyi g down, or kneeling they must tand o the object bei g named, dropping o the knee directly they have delivered their fire; and if a section cannot see the object at all, the section commander should not give the command re dy Each ad ac s rule should be *from 40 to 50* paces, but this and the pace must depend on the nature of the ground, d the gen ral idea with which the practice is being carried out. It is not obligatory t fire o e volley ly t each halt, or eve t fire at all. Generally the fire should be increased or i tensified as the targets or pos tion are approached. Whe advancing by separat or a ternate section at the double the leadi g section or sections will adva ce under cover of the fire of the thers. As oon as the leading sections come to the present or have fired, the re r sections will run forward without word of command.

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			Directly the indepe dent fri g i finished, the superi tending officer will direct bayonets to be fixed, arms to be sloped, and an drance made on the targets r position. It is t thi moment of ceas i g independent firing that the second line is supposed to have joined the fri g l ne for an assault on the enemy's position.
85	182	...	Add —It is never to be carried out on a rifle range without the special sanctio of the General Officer Commanding
86	187	4	Dele on the lines of Army Form B 55.
87	194	...	Dele
90	210	...	Dele.
94	224	...	Is reconstructed follows — A practice of judging dista ce consists of four answers at such distances as the gr und may admit.
95	230	...	Is reconstructed as follows :— In this practice the correct distance is to be ascertained by a range finder or p ced, or measured.
95	233	2	After "Section V" insert "Part III
95	233	...	Insert an asterisk at end of paragraph and add the following foot note :— * If preferred, Wallace s system of judging distance as explained in Appenpix I, page 138, or y practical or useful variation of these methods may be substituted.
95	234 to 237	...	Re umber 119-A, 119-B, 119-C 119-D and take to page 63.
97	239	7	Del " after officer and the foot note referring thereto.
112	2*a	2	*For* size 6 feet by 4 feet" *read* "4 feet by 4 feet."

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Page.	Para.	Line.	Corrections.
...	...	27 and 28	Dele whether with blank or ball ammunition.
113	273	4	De 137 nd nd 139, and *insert* " and between 136, " 138.
...	...	5	*For* butt register *read* butt memorandum.
...	274	3	Dele 137 139.
120	...		New paragraph 258-A. The centre line of trolly rails should be 20 feet from the foot of slope of stop butt or 16 feet from foot of slope of lead catcher When *constructi g new ranges, markers butts may* be built either parallel to th stop butt or t a slight gle. For the centre butt the former is more economical I ther case the front of the markers butt should be about 4 feet from the nearest trolly rail.
123	307	1	*Insert* reservists between ranges nd " a d.
124	312	4 to 6	Dele from sometimes to figure of merit.
125	313	1 and 2	For figure of merit, *substitute* mean deviation.
126	...	19	Dele when possible
129	32 b	1	*I sert* " native officer " betwee " officer and and.
	322	3	Aft r exercise dd and be able to adopt l military positions.
...	...	9	After M ype Fire Tactics" add :— They will also take with them revolver carrying Government mmunition a pair of binoculars and a whistle
136	342		Add to paragraph — The Martini Henry rifle bullet penetrates t 100 yards 7½ inches into a feet dry mud wall and 6½ inches l to a 2 feet sun dried brick wall.

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Page.	Para.	Line	C rrections.
137	...	...	Add as paragraph 345 :—A box of Martini-Henry rifle amm ition contains 600 rounds, and weighs bout 80 lbs. A box of 4-6 Enfield revolver ammunition contains 240 rounds and weighs about 16 lbs.
138	...		I rt the fol owi g as Append x I and renumber present appendices :— APPENDIX I. *M thod f judging di ta ce as p posed by Captai* A. WALLACE *27th P njab In a try.* W g commanders must ha noticed that the present monthly course of judging distance practice is not ll that could be desired. The followi g re some f its defects :—*1 t* that tim is w ted while ne man fte nother gi es his answer; *d* that the conditions under which the distances are judged re unlike those under which they would have to be judged in action; *3rd* that n undue amount of the judging is done by sound; *4th*, that u der the present system one does ot always get each man perfectly unbiased judgme t. The course I propose would be as follows :— Each non-commissioned officer to come provided with a piece of paper nd a pencil, the officer sup erintending havi g a range-finder and a bugle whistle or flag The "object consists of a party of one havild r and ten men e ch ma has two rounds of blank ammunition. The havildar has six flags. *Fi st mode f conducti g p ctice*—The native co, non-commissioned, officers are drawn up I si gle ra k extended to three paces interval. The party t be judged on is drawn up in the same way ex tended to three paces interval between 800 and 1,000 yards off. O the superi tendi g officer giving signal the object " party advances by ru hes of about 40 yards. Whenever the superi tendi g officer wishes h gives the word " Distance and waves his flag or sounds a bugle or whistle On the

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			word Distance the native or n -commissioned officers will each write down at once on their pieces of paper the distance they would order me to fire t. The h lder of the object party is not to check his advance i any way but m st pl at one of his mall flags at whatever place his party may be when he sees the uperintending officer's flag waved, or hears the bugle or whistle At every halt after rush two men are to fire independently a round of blank each. (It would be better of course to have a alley from all ten men at every halt) In the course of the object party's d a ce the uperi tendi g officer would give th word Dista ce nd wave his flag or sound the bugle or whistle many times as he requires an were Each time the men would write dow their answer nd the holda of the object party plant flag At th conclusion f the advance the correct distance of these flags would be scertained with the range-finder or measured While this is being done the native officers or register keepers colle t the me papers signed by them, and enter their answers i the registers, correct distances and poi ts obtained being called out as usual. No erasures o corrections should be allowed i the figures once written, which would represent the words of command for the sighting. No more time should be allowed for writing down the distance than would be necessary for giving the word of command; after that the men should stand t attention with their hands at their sides. Up to 500 yards the object party would advance in a general line; after about that distance, one-half of the party alternately with the other half the native officers or non-commissioned, officers being directed to judge on the leading or advanced half with which the ho lder would remain. *Second mode of conducti g practice*—The object party is placed at some point to epresent a defending force, the men being extended as before t three paces interval, and firing a round of blank every now and then. The native or non-commissioned, officers are extended s before nd advance by rushes on the defending party Whenever the uperintendi g officer gi es th word Distance"

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			the party under instruction write on their papers the distance they would order their men to fire at, nd the superi tending officer plants a small flag The advance is not to be checked at that point. Paper are collected nd distances of flags ascer tained afterward a in first mode The advantages of a course thus roughly ketched out are the folowi g but meron practica and usef l ariations ca be made nd followed — The men are not kept waiti g while others are givi g their answers These answers m st necessarily be quite independe t, as it would be easy to se if any ma were writi g on his paper at any time but when ordered to, and being t three paces i terval they ca not ea ily commu icate The ative d -commissioned officers are taught t judge rapidly with none of the hesitation and prese t possible long deliberation, whi h there would certa ly not be time for i action The present c urse allows too much f the judging to be done by sound. There is no time for this to be done properly i ction, except t extreme ra ges, and if there is to be a y sound at all from gun powder in acti n that sound would, as a rule be such an infernal d as to render judging dista ce by it out of the question The great advantage would, however be that th men would be taught to be continually judging f om the time the enemy starts his advance or if the enemy is on the defensiv from the time they begin to advance themselves, to the nd. They would be always ready with a dista ce whe necessary nd would be continually deliberating on it and correcting it. The non-commissioned ficers would lear to esti mate the distance they cover i their own advance or that the nemy does in his so that i ction having once got i good volley at long distance they ar better enabled, as the distance becomes reduced to form a correct estimate for the required sighti g
140	—	—	Appendix II After feet t heading of table add " above the line of sight.

G O 9 —Drill and Instruction—Musketry—Books.

The following alterations and amendments are made in the Standing Orders of the Schools of Musketry in India

Para. 48 —Dele from those in line 8 to end of paragraph and add—

Correct words of command without any additions or interpolations and the military positions as laid down in the musketry regulations are to be adhered to with absolute accuracy at all times Under no circumstances will a certificate be awarded to any student who is reported to be unable to correctly adopt the several military positions.

48-A.—Officers and non commissioned officers detailed to attend the schools of musketry must be thoroughly conversant with and capable of imparting instruction in the firing exercise and in control of fire drills, and no one is on any account to be sent to a school without a certificate from his Commanding Officer to the effect that he has satisfied himself that the candidate is an efficient instructor Should any officer or non-commissioned officer join the school insufficiently prepared, Chief Instructors will at once bring their case to the notice of the Adjutant General with a view to such students being remanded to their regiments All officers so remanded must rejoin at their own expense

Those who show inattention and appear unlikely to obtain certificates are also to be returned to their corps

Para. 61 —At end of paragraph add (see para. 48)

Add new paragraph—

"77 A —Each British officer proceeding to a school for a course of instruction will take with him a revolver carrying Government ammunition, field glasses, and a whistle'

Paras. 99 100, and 101 are cancelled and the following substituted —

99.—An annual allotment, not exceeding Rs. 250 will if it can be made available be given to each school of musketry to meet expenses connected with the provision of articles considered necessary for experimental

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purposes, but no expenses under this head are to be incurred without the sanction of the Adjutant General having first been obtained

100—As soon as possible after the assembly of the first class Chief Instructors will submit an application for the grant, stating the sum that will be required and at the conclusion of the second class will render a statement showing how the money has been expended

Pages 16 17 and 18—The following synopsis of subjects of instruction &c., is to be substituted for that given in Appendix A.

APPENDIX A.

SYNOPSIS OF SUBJECTS OF INSTRUCTION AND STUDY AT THE SCHOOLS OF MUSKETRY FOR THE VARIOUS MUSKETRY CERTIFICATES

Obligatory subjects for Officers and also for Warrant and Non Commissioned Officers except where otherwise stated



ORAL AND PRACTICAL EXAMINATIONS—Full marks 60 in each

1—*Care of Arms and Ammunition and Mechanism of the Rifle or Carbine*

2 *Firing Exercise*—Including Firing, advancing and Retiring

Revolver drill for warrant and non commissioned officers, of whose equipment the revolver forms a part

3 *Theoretical Principles*—Officers will give lectures on them warrant and non-commissioned officers are to have a general knowledge of them and will be catechized in them by the officers under instruction

4 *Judging Distance* Including means of measuring distances the use of the authorized range finder (in use in the corps to which the officer or warrant or non commissioned officer belongs)

5 *Returns Registers &c* making out and completing

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6 *Rifle Calibre Machine Guns*—Knowledge of the mechanism, *and how to use them in the field*

WRITTEN EXAMINATION

There will be 5 papers for officers, and 4 for warrant and non-commissioned officers Each paper will consist of 10 main questions Full marks for each paper 60

Papers for Officers and Warrant and Non Commissioned Officers

1st day	One paper on machine guns (officers only) Two papers on musketry regulations (where marked for examination) to end of Chapter IV
2nd day	Two papers on musketry regulations (where marked for examination) Chapter V to end of book.

EXTRA SUBJECTS FOR OFFICERS ONLY

WRITTEN EXAMINATION, 3 PAPERS

Papers 6 7 8	Treatise on military small arms and ammunition where marked for examination Mayne's Fire Tactics such portions as may be notified at commencement of each course Construction and Mechanism of Martini Henry and Lee Metford Rifles Musketry Regulations Chapter IX Section 2

QUALIFICATION TO BE OBTAINED IN THE ORAL AND WRITTEN EXAMINATIONS

The Officers Certificate of Musketry

An officer to obtain this certificate must pass out of the 3rd class in target practice and must make—

An average of 45 marks in Nos 1 2 3 4 5 and 6 oral examinations and

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An average of 45 marks in the five papers of the written examination

Officers' Extra Certificate

An officer to obtain this certificate, must qualify for the "officers certificate of musketry and in addition must make

An average of 48 marks in papers 6 to 8

Officers who have not previously qualified in machine guns are required to do so

The " Warrant and Non Commissioned Officers Certificate of Musketry

A warrant or non commissioned officer to obtain this certificate must pass out of the 3rd class in target practice, and must make—

An average of 45 marks in Nos 1 2 3, 4 5 and 6 oral examinations and

An average of 45 marks in the four papers of the written examination

N B—An ward of less than 30 marks in any *one* subject or paper disqualifies for ay certificate (officers warrant and no commissioned officers)

MACHINE GUNS.

Officers warrant and non-commissioned officers who obtain 45 marks in the oral examination on any machine gun will have the following words on their certificates *viz* 'capable of instructing in And those who obtain 30, but less than 45— Fair knowledge of "

In addition to the above subjects, the following are also obligatory —

A course of preliminary drills

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A course of target practice

Practice with the regulation revolver for officers, warrant officers, and those of whose equipment the revolver forms a part.

Practice with rifle calibre machine guns.

Judging distance practice

BOOKS IN USE AT THE SCHOOLS

Musketry Regulations, British and Native

Treatise on military small arms and ammunition.

Handbooks of Nordenfelt and Maxim machine guns

Infantry Fire Tactics (Mayne)

In addition to the above each officer should have with him a copy of the Indian Appendix to the British Musketry Regulations, and of the " A. B C " of rifle fire.

Page 20 —Appendix C opposite Army Form B 193 in the third column *for* " 75 " *read* " 100

Expunge India Army Forms 137 and 139, and all entries against them.

Page 23, Appendix D —Under " small arms " and above " Martini Henry " insert

" Rifles, Magazine Lee Metford | 20 |
Opposite " Rifles, Martini Henry " in third column

for " 40 " *read* " 30 " and opposite " jags " *for* " 52 " *read* " 42 " *For* " 40 " against " bayonets and scabbards " *read* " 30

Page 24. " Accoutrements " opposite " frogs, buff &c., and slings, rifle buff " *for* " 40 " *read* " 30

Add the following —

Slings, Rifle Magazine, Lee Metford | 20 |
Page 25 " Miscellaneous stores

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After " glue, Cawnpore, common, add —

" Oil rifle thickened with vaseline | 1 | pint per 9 stand of arms.

Page 26 —" Magazine stores

Add the following after ' cartridges, small arm ' —

303 cordite | 200-*b* | per British Infantry officer and non commissioned officer including instructors

For per Infantry officer and non-commissioned officer, including instructors" opposite Martini Henry rifle, rolled case | 200-*b* | " *read* per British officer of the Native Army and Native officers and non commissioned officers, including instructors

Page 27 —Opposite flags musketry instruction—

' *Red*—4 feet × 3 feet | 8 |

—do—and white | 4 |

insert—

" Two additional are allowed for Deolali and opposite " Poles 13 *add* four additional are allowed for Deolali

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G O. 10.—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations India Vol II ' Discipline.

1 Para. 1137 is cancelled and the following substituted —

1137 —Officers who are not empowered to exercise military command out side the special branch or department of the army in which they are serving are not entitled by virtue of any rank they may hold to the presidency of Courts of Inquiry Committees or Boards except such as are composed exclusively of officers over whom they exercise military command They may however, be appointed Presidents when in the opinion of the officer c onvening the Board it is desirable that they should act in that capacity

When the assistance of a departmental officer is required for a Court of Inquiry Committee or Board, and the rank of such officer corresponds to a rank superior to

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that of the officer who has been appointed president of the same, the departmental officer should not be detailed as a member but should be directed to attend at the inquiry to furnish a report in writing or to give evidence in person as a witness if required to do so by the President

Para 1407 as amended by G O 44 of 1891, is re constructed as follows —

1407 —Remounts will be supplied yearly as follows —

I —*Royal Artillery* —Australian and country bred remounts for the artillery in the three presidencies, during the months of February and March to the extent they may then be fit for service, remaining requirements being met as soon after 31st March as possible, but not later than the end of June

In the Bengal Presidency there are two circles of supply, *viz* Calcutta and Saharanpur Batteries at Barrack pore, Dinapore Cawnpore, Allahabad, Fyzabad, Jhansi Jubbulpore, Nowgong and Saugor will obtain their remounts on requisitions (India Army Form 73) submitted direct, as soon after the annual castings take place as possible to the Superintendent, Presidency Remount Depôt, Calcutta, and all others on requisitions (India Army Form 73) submit ted direct to the Superintendent Remount Depôt, Saha ranpur Duplicate copies of requisitions are to be sent to the Director, Army Remount Department

In the Bombay Presidency Australian remounts will be issued from the Bombay purchasing Depôt and the Ahmed nagar Depôt original requisitions being sent direct, on India Army Form 73 as soon after castings take place as possible, to the Superintendent Ahmednagar, and a duplicate copy to the Director Army Remount Depart ment

In the Madras Presidency remounts will be issued from the Hosur Depôt original requisitions being sent to the Depôt Superintendent direct, as soon after castings take place as possible on India Army Form 73 and a duplicate copy to the Director Army Remount Department.

II —*British and Madras Cavalry* —Country-bred remounts from the Hapur and Kurnal Depôts in the spring before 31st March.

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Australian remounts from the Saharanpur and Hosur Depôts, as soon as possible after 15th September following the annual casting season (November to March)

Arab and Persian remounts from the Ahmednagar Depôt, as soon as possible after the annual castings have been carried out

Requisitions will be made out on India Army Form 73 and sent in as follows —

For country breds, as soon after castings take place as possible, direct to the Director Army Remount Depart ment.

For Australians, as soon after castings take place as possible, direct to the Superintendent, Saharanpur or Hosur Depôt, as the case may be duplicates being forward ed to the Director Army Remount Department.

For Arabs and Persians, as soon after castings take place as possible direct to the Director, Army Remount Department.

III.—No requisition should be submitted at other times except in cases of particular emergency under the sanction of the Commander in Chief

Add as paragraph 1407 (*e*)—

Mules for Mountain Batteries (British and Native will be supplied once a year, as soon as possible after the annual castings have taken place (January to March)

Officers Commanding Batteries stationed at Jutogh, Khyragully and Baragully Kalabagh, Loralai, Kohat, and Edwardesabad will submit their requisitions (India Army Form 73) for ordnance and baggage mules direct after the annual castings take place to the Superintendent of the Kurnal Depôt, and all others to the Superintendent of the Hapur Depôt, duplicate copies being forwarded to the Director, Army Remount Department.

Subsequent requisitions should only be submitted in cases of emergency

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Para. 1494 —For the words ' in the waterproof cover ' in line 8 on page 286, *substitute* by the men

Para 1495 clause III —*Dele* from ' the former " in line 1, to ' cloth," in line 5 and *insert* " these are to be folded flat and strapped on the man s back. '

Para. 1516.—Under heading " Infantry on page 290 *dele* waterproof pack clot i together with the number and value opposite this item

Para. 1553 (*f*) is reconstructed as follows —

Applications from Veterinary Officers for leave of absence will be forwarded through Officers Commanding Sta tions to Inspecting Veterinary Officers of Circles by whom they will be submitted to General Officers Commanding Districts for disposal when the leave can be granted by them. When the leave requires the sanction of the Commander-in-Chief the applications will, in Bengal, be transmitted to the Principal Veterinary Officer in India, by whom they will be forwarded to the Adjutant General In Madras they will be submitted to the General Officer Commanding the District in which the applicant is serving who will forward them to the Inspecting Veterinary Officer for submission to the Adjutant General and in Bombay they will be submitted direct to the Adjutant General by the Inspecting Veterinary Officer Inspecting Veterinary Officers are responsible that sufficient Veterinary Officers for ordinary necessities and emergencies are retained for duty Applications for recrea tion or temporary leave will be submitted through the Ins pecting Veterinary Officer of the Circle for the orders of the Officer Commanding the Station in which the applicant is serving who is empowered to grant such leave (paragraphs 1599 and 1600)

Para. 1842 (*g*) —In the second line expunge the words 'malt liquor and after the word excepting" in same line, insert the words " issues made. In the third and fourth lines expunge the words " former being and subs titute the words " value of which is Expunge the last line from " and to " department, and insert (Army Regulations India, Vol. V para. 828) "

Para 2228 —Erase ' store lascars' and the figures opposite.

G O 11 —Discharges—British Army—General.

The following correction is made in the Discharge Regulations —

Para 66 is reconstructed as follows —

66 —Immediately after the sailing of each troopship, the Deputy Assistant Adjutant General, $\frac{\text{Bombay}}{\text{Karachi}}$ will forward to Officers Commanding Corps, Embarkation Muster Rolls (M. A. Form 34 A)

On receipt the latter officers will strike the details off the regimental strength and transfer the rolls to the Regimental Paymaster as vouchers in support of the final charge for Indian Pay

G O 12 —Organization—Native Army

With the approval of Government the Commander in Chief in India is pleased to make the following alterations in the designation of the several divisions of a squadron in the Native Cavalry —

(1) The term troop shall in future be applied and refer only to the field troop

(2) The two administrative troops which at present compose a squadron in quarters will be designated Right and Left Half Squadron respectively Each half squadron will remain as at present under its own Native Officers and Staff

(3) Pending revision, wherever the word troop occurs in any regulations and orders affecting the Indian Army issued prior to this date except those which clearly refer to the troop in the field, half squadron " is to be understood and no change made in practice.

In the same way class "troops will remain class 'half squadrons

G O 13 —Barrack Department—Regulations. (Quarter Master General.)

With the sanction of the Government of India the following addition is made in the Bengal Barrack Regulations —

Military Department No. 188-M. W dated 16th January 1894.

Paragraph 256 A —

G O 13—contd

Insert Fort Agra *after* Fatehgarh in last line

M t ry D partme t No. 4 2 D ted 20th J uary 1894. Paragraph 644 is reconstructed as follows —

The burial of excreta in pits being strictly prohibited the arrangements for the final disposal of filth from the lin s of British troops will be as follow —

A pl t of *ground some f n hundred yards from the* barr ck having been selected under the orders of the officer commanding the station a trench one foot wide and nine inches deep will be dug into which ordure to the depth of not more than three inches will be deposited th tr nch being at once fill d up with earth Additional t nches will be dug at intervals of one foot as required, ca e b ing taken that those adj ining are not opened in the pr ces The urine will be di posed of in a similar manner but quite separate from the ordure The trenches for th urine will be only six inches in depth or less.

Para. 646—

In line fi e for one foot *substitute* nine inches

M l t y De artm t No 2 5 M W d ted 7th J n uary 89. *Append x A*—Opposite boxes kit with padlocks and keys " *insert* in column 4 after the words unmarried and married, respectively of two first ent i s Garrison and Regi men al Warrant Officer Opposite ' Chairs barrack alter entry in column 5 to for Warrant Officers Ser geant and married men and in column 4 after the w rd per *insert* Carris n and Regimental W rrant Officer

O po ite for Sergeants mess s in column 3 *add* after the vord per in column 4 Garrison and Regi mental Warrant Officer or

Opposite " chopping blocks small co k hou es, in column 4 after the words " Sergeants mess *insert* Garri on and Regimental Warrant Officer

G O 13—contd

Opposite entries receptacles filth large, for stations in the plains and receptacles, filth, small for stations in the hills *insert* in fourth and seventh entries, respectively in column 4 the words Garrison and Regimental Warrant Officers after the words " Sergeants mess

Opposite tables small 5 × 2 10" alter entry in column 3 to Warrant and Non Commissioned Officers and married men and in column 4 after the word per *insert* Garrison and Regimental Warrant Officer

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Military Department No. 4134-M W dated 22nd December 1893

Paragraph 350—*Enter the following in the tabular statement* —

Class	*Station*	Daily scale for Each fire-place	Buildings where fires are authorised	*Remarks.*
	Quetta	From 1st to 14th October and from 16th to 31st March		
	Kelat			
	Loralai			( ) Besides the stations herein named fuel may be issued troops located at outposts which may from time to time be opened, and the elevation of which is over 3,000 feet, at the scale and for the period herein sanctioned.
	Pushl	*Half scale*		
	Shel bagh	Each large fire-place. { Wood [illegible] lbs Coal (local) [illegible] lbs		
	Cham			
	Killa Abdulla			
F	Sinjawi	Each small fire-place { Wood [illegible] lbs Coal (local) [illegible] lbs		(b) One pound of wood is allowed for kindling purposes for fire-places which coal only is burnt, but when portion of wood and coal is given the one pound of wood for kindling is not allowed in addition.
	Gumbaz			
	Murgha		Barracks	
	Marri Traghi			
	Fort Sandeman	From 15th October to 15th March.		
	Musa Khel			
	Megalkot	*Full scale.*		
	Mayzoha	Each large fire-place. { Wood [illegible] lbs Coal (local) [illegible] lbs		
		Each small fire-place. { Wood [illegible] lbs Coal (local) 4 lbs		

G O 13—contd

Add a† to paragraph 354 and insert as a note at bottom of page

† For the British Infantry and Royal Artillery Institutes and Regimental school rooms at Quetta, the General Officer Commanding is empowered to sanction extra issues of fuel to the extent and for the period he may consider necessary the quantity issued in any one day is not to exceed 160 lbs for each large and 120 lbs for each small fire place

Appendix A page 171 in 1876 edition, page 165 in reprint of 1886

The entry under C to be altered as follows ' Carts filth rubbish and cook house refuse water (Crowley Bradley, or other suitable pattern)

Military Department N 261 M W dated 22nd January 1894.

Para 659 —After the words Park Sergeants *add* the words by the Schoolmistresses referred to in paras 688 A. 697 and 699

Para. 688-A.—Under the words " Staff Sergeants detached quarters *add after* if single men —

Schoolmistress, if single	2
Schoolmistress not provided for with her husband	3

Para 697 — *After* the word ' department *add* ' and schoolmistresses not provided for with their husbands '

Para 699 —*After* the words " quarters of non-commissioned staff *add* the words quarters of schoolmistresses not provided for with their husbands

G O 13—concld.

APPENDIX A

Military Department No. 314 M W dated 26th January 1894.

Insert the following under the scale of furniture authorised for the Central School of Army Signalling at Kasauli (G O 62 of 1893) —

		3	4		5	
					Barrack Regulations	
Letter	Articles	Where required and for what purpose.	Authorised proportion.		Section	Para.
B	Black boards with easels	For class ..	2	..		

Military Department No. 272 M W, dated 3rd January 1894

Paragraph 624 —Scale of urinals for barracks to read as under —

Urinals (for barracks) ten for each Horse or Field Battery of Royal Artillery or Squadron of Cavalry and five for each Mountain Battery Company of Garrison Artillery or Company of Infantry	With a renewal of 20 per cent *per mensem*

G O 14—Books—Forms.

The following form has been introduced —

India Army Form 370 —"Parcels note for use when parcels are sent in one of Her Majesty's ships issued gratis as required.

2 The following has been revised, and will supersede India Army Form 359 —" Application for courts martial Native soldiers Madras and will be taken into use for Native as well as British troops —

Army Form B 116 — ' Application for court martial

3 The following has been revised —

Army Form B 291 — Army schools daily attendance report troop battery or company

G O 14—contd.

4 The following have been cancelled and will be struck off India Army Form 225 List of Forms &c "

Army Form B 98 — Attestation (short service) duplicate for Recruit.

Indian Army Form 318.—" Monthly return, Native Infantry details Madras.

India Army Form 319 — Monthly return depôts Madras.

The following is cancelled having been superseded by Army Form B 116 — Application for court martial,' (modified)

India Army Form 359.— Application for court martial Native soldiers Madras "

5 In G O 83 of 1891 — Against Army Form A. 2008 add and at Quetta, *after* the word stations

6. In G O 14 of 1893 — Against India Army Form 131 expunge Issued gratis to General Officers Commanding Districts as required and *insert* Issued gratis at three copies per unit on indents by General Officers Commanding

7 India Army Form 341 —Introduced by G O 48 of 1893 will be issued on payment as demanded

8 The following Madras Military forms have been allotted India Army Form numbers —

427 —" Deposition of absent witnesses, Madras India Army Form No 371

577 — Native officers medical certificate, Madras.' India Army Form No 372.

578 — Native officers, descriptive register of transferred to pension establishment, Madras. India Army Form No 373

690 —" Statement of marriage ceremony Madras. India Army Form No. 374

796 — Prisoners property book Madras India Army Form No 375

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797 — Prison chaplains' book, Madras. India Army Form No 376

798 — Prison visitors book, Madras India Army Form No 377

799 — Prisoners record of employment, sentenced to hard labour Madras India Army Form No 378

800 — Prison order book, Madras. India Army Form No 379

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G O 15.—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations, India Vol II Discipline

Para. 141 — Clause 2 as revised by G O 116 of 1888, is cancelled

Para. 1177 (*d*) *after* Dalhousie *add* "Deolali."

Para. 2047 —*Dele* line 1 and *substitute* 'relatives of men who enlisted on or *prior* to the 6th December 1889 may be

After the word ' punishment in line 16 *add* the following sentence —

"Th number of relatives permitted above to reside in the lines is conditional only as the Commanding Officer is empowered to interfere in cases in which he considers that the number living in any hut is from a sanitary point of view objectionable or dangerous.

2047 A.—*Add* new para —

The following rules apply to men enlisted after the 6th December 1889 —

"The families of all native officers, full non-commissioned officers, trumpeters, buglers, drummers, farrier havildars and shoeing-smiths, and those of one third of the remainder of the native ranks, including musicians, will be allowed to reside in th lines such families to consist of wives and children only

2047 B —*Add* new para :—

' Commanding Officers of regiments proceeding on Foreign Service should be careful to obtain prior to the embarkation of the Corps accurate rolls of all relatives entitled to reside in the lines, so that, on the return of the regiment to India, no others may be admitted

G. O 15—contd

The following to be substituted for Section XVIII, Sub-Section VI —

VI —FOREIGN SERVICE DETAILS

SPECIAL—MADRAS, EXCEPTING BURMA LOCAL BATTALIONS.

Memoranda relative to details left behind on Madras Regiments proceeding beyond sea, and to details of sick or wounded returning thence to the coast

2169 Prior to the embarkation of the head-quarters of a regiment, the Officer Commanding will transmit to the *Commandant of the Madras Infantry* Depôt at Pallavaram a transcript from the regimental register and also from the register of heirs for property and pension of each man intended to be left behind

Documents to be sent to depôt before embarkation.

2170. When it may be necessary to send men back to the coast, for the benefit of their health or other cause, either from regimental head-quarters or from out posts, they will be landed at the ports nearest to the station to which they are proceeding returning thence to Burma on the expiration of their leave &c. In the case of sickness, see para 1743 A

Men returning to the coast to land at, and return from ports nearest to leave station.

2171 The following documents are to be sent by the Officer Commanding the regiment, or out post, through the officer in charge of native details, Rangoon to the Garrison Quarter Master Fort St. Geroge Madras, by post and forwarded by him to the Officer Commanding Madras Infantry Depôt, Pallavaram or officer in charge of

Documents to be sent by post through officer in charge native details, Rangoon, to Garrison Quarter Master Fort St. George Madras.

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details, according as the men are for final disposal or proceeding on sick leave —

i.—A separate list of regimental necessaries and other property in the possession of each individual (I.A.F 315)

NOTE —Cloth g in we excepting a turban khaki coat with buttons and numerals pa of khaki trouser putti d boot which e requi ed to carry out the provisi ns f para 1736 is to be lodged in egimental sto e.

ii.—A nominal roll of the party showing the cause of return of each individual and destination (I A F 320)

iii —A last pay certificate —This is only required for men joining the Madras Infantry Depôt, Pallavaram, with a view to being brought before a Medical Invaliding Committee for pension or discharge

iv —A *duplicate* general roll of the family certificates of the detail and the roll referred to in para. 57, Sec II of the Family Payment Regulations The *original* of the latter is to be transmitted by post to the Superintendent of Family Payments.

v —Company defaulter sheets of those men only who may be proceeding to Pallavaram

vi —Medical case (*original*)

vii.—Extract from regimental register

viii —Extract from regimental register of heirs

ix.—Medical history sheets

N.B.—For men returning to the coast on leave on private affairs, the following documents only are necessary —

i —List of necessaries.

ii —Nominal roll of the party

iii —Duplicate general roll of family certificates

G O 15—contd.

2176 Previous to arrival at the port of debarkation the Officer Commanding the detail should see that every man has the box or bundle containing his properly distinctly labelled with his name, regimental number and the number of his regiment, so that in the event of the details landing without their baggage the local authorities may have no difficulty in discovering the owners when the baggage is sent on shore

Baggage to be properly marked

2177 In all cases of men returning to the coast sick, the history and account of the progress of their cases and of the remedies used are to be sent along with them Men who are too ill to proceed to Pallavaram are to be sent to the hospital of the Madras regiment stationed at Royapuram in Madras. If a medical officer be in charge, these documents will be delivered to him and he will disembark with the sick proceed to the hospital of the Madras Infantry Regiment stationed at Royapuram and deliver the cases to the medical officer in charge of that hospital Should there be no medical officer in charge of the details the cases are to be delivered to the officer in command of the party or sent by post to the Garrison Quarter Master Fort St George

Medical cases

(*a*) On the embarkation of sick details for the coast, the General Officer Commanding Burma District will intimate to the General Officer Commanding Madras District, *by telegram* the probable number of men for whom accommodation will be required in the hospital above mentioned

(*b*) Any men for whom there is no accommodation in the hospital of the Regiment at Royapuram should under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Madras District be sent direct from the place of landing to the hospital of the Madras Infantry Regiment at Perambore

(*c*) All men except those of the "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners (see paragraph 2181) whom commanding officers wish to be brought before a medical invaliding committee with a view to their being pensioned from unfitness

G O 15—contd

Discharged men to be included in nominal roll.

2172 Men actually discharged and struck off the strength of the regiment, are to be inserted in the nominal roll which must contain the cause and authority under which the discharge took place the date of removal from the strength of the regiment, the date to which paid and whether any and what claims remain unadjusted

No other documents are required, except a list of property in the men s possession in order to its being secured in case of death and the documents necessary for the adjustment of any claims that cannot be settled prior to their return to the coast.

How the documents are to be forwarded.

2173 The papers referred to in para. 2171 relating *to each man are to be put up in se*parate bundles and secured by a paper binder bearing the individual s regiment number rank and name these documents accompanied by a letter stating their number should be sent by post to the Garrison Quarter Master Fort St. George who will at once forward No IV to the Superintendent of Family Payments and the remainder to the Officers referred to in paragraph 2171

Documents to be sent by the same vessel by which the men proceed.

2174 Commanding officers concerned and the officer in charge of native details Rangoon will be held responsible that all documents relating to the detail are sent by the same vessel by which the men proceed and any omission in this respect will be at once reported to the Adjutant General by the General Officer Commanding Madras District

Casualties during the passage

2175 Casualties during the passage and their dates, are to be carefully noted on the general roll of family certificates should the men s names be borne thereon and also on the nominal roll (I A. F 320) The effects of men who may die during the passage are to be secured and sent under charge of the orderly attendant, to the Garrison Quarter Master, Fort St George

G O 15—contd.

2176 Previous to arrival at the port of debarkation the Officer Commanding the detail should see that every man has the box or bundle containing his property distinctly labelled with his name, regimental number and the number of his regiment so that in the event of the details landing without their baggage the local authorities may have no difficulty in discovering the owners when the baggage is sent on shore

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for further service should be sent direct to the Madras Infantry Depôt at Pallavarm for final disposal

(*d*) The Officer Commanding the Madras Infantry Depôt at Pallavaram will report to Officers Commanding Regiments serving in Burma—

i—The arrival at the Depôt of all men of their regiments, whether from Burma or sick leave, or on rejoining from their native villages, or from any detached duty

ii—The departure of all men from the Depôt, whether on leave extension of sick leave or to join or on duty Any extension of sick leave will be communicated at once *by telegram.*

iii—The grant of all sick or other leave to men, with the dates from and to which such leave extends. (This will be communicated at once *by telegram*)

iv—When any man who may have come from Burma in attendance on a sick comrade is sent to accompany a sick man to his native village

(*e*) The Officer Commanding Madras Infantry Depôt or Commandant of the regiment to which the men are attached under paragraph 1743 A, will send back to Burma by the fist opportunity after the expiration of their leave, all men who have been sent to India on medical certificate. Such men are not to be detained except on a fresh medical certificate.

2178 Sick attendants are not to be allowed to accompany sick men to India unless this is certified by a medical officer to be absolutely necessary, and on no account is leave to be granted by Commanding Officers in Burma to such men These men should be sent to rejoin their regiments by the next steamer after arrival in India and should not be detailed to accompany sick comrades to their native villages when there are other men at the Depôt available for duty They are not to be granted furlough after arrival in India except under very special circumstances, and then only

Sick attendants.

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under the authority of the General Officer Commanding Madras District

2179. The provisions of paragraphs 1743 and 1743 A should be fully explained to all men returning to India on sick leave with a view to their reporting themselves to the authorities at the required stations.

Sick men reporting themselves to certain officers

2180 Men who have to disembark at ports where there are no staff officers should be provided regimentally with envelopes stamped franked, and addressed to their regiments, which should be handed over to the Port officers with their disembarkation certificates for transmission to regimental head-quarters

Disembarkation certificates.

2181 Sick details and men to be invalided from companies of the Queen's Own Sappers and Miners on foreign service will not be sent to the Madras Infantry Depôt at Pallavaram, but will proceed direct to their regimental head-quarters at Bangalore

Sick details of Sappers.

The pay of these men will be drawn as usual by the Commanders of their respective companies and remitted to the Commandant for disbursement.

This rule does not affect those cases covered by paragraph 2170 in which sick men, under certain circumstances, land at and embark from the port on the coast nearest to their homes

2181 A. These instructions are to be considered applicable, as far as circumstances permit to details of all branches of the service

Para 2228 —*Dele* the last two clauses and *insert* the following —

No recruit will be permitted to marry for 3 years after his enlistment, and no man whether he married before or after his enlistment will be permitted to bring his family into the lines until he comes within the provisions of para 2047 A., and such permission will then be conditional on good character and the sanction of his Commanding Officer

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This order is to be clearly explained to every candidate for enlistment.

The provisions of this para are not applicable to the Burma Local Battalions.

Para 2551 —Lines eight and nine are cancelled and the following is substituted —

Secretary to the Government, Military Department, direct ‡

Adjutant General direct * "

Para 2569.—As amended by G O 35 of 1887, after the Words Adjutant General in the fifth line, *add*

' A duplicate copy of Field Service Form No 1 is to be sent by the Officer Commanding the force direct to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department.

Para. 2574 —As added to by G O 77 of 1887, in column ' description of return " under the heading *quarterly* against return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establishment, &c *expunge* the words " and also of officers leaving India on furlough

Para 576 —As added to by G O 77 of 1887, in column " description of return, under the heading ' *quarterly* against Return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establishment, &c., *expunge* the words, and also of officers leaving India on furlough.

Para. 2576 —As added to by G O 77 of 1887 under the heading occasionally, against ' return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establishment, &c., in column ' when to be sent *expunge* the words from ' or ' to ' Presidency

Above para. 2577 —As added to by G O 77 of 18 7 in column ' description of return under the heading ' occasionally, against " return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establishment, &c. *expunge* the words, ' and also of officers leaving India on furlough.

Para 2581 —As added to by G O 32 of 1888, under the heading ' occasionally, against return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establishment, &c. " in

G O 15—concld

column when to be sent *expunge* the words from " or ' to Presidency "

Para 2582 —As added to by G O 32 of 1888 in column ' description of return under the heading occasionally, against return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establishment, &c *expunge* the words, and also of officers leaving India on furlough

Para 2584.—As amended by G O 33 of 1892 in column description of return, under the heading quarterly *expunge* the words, and also of those left India on furlough

Para 2586 —As added to by G O 33 of 1892 in column description of return under the heading 'quarterly against return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establishment, &c *expunge* the words 'and also of those left India on furlough.'

Para 2586 —As added to by G O 44 of 1888, in column description of return under the heading ' miscellaneous, against return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establ shment &c *expunge* the words, and also of officers leaving India on furlough.

Para 2586 —As added to by G O 44 of 1888 under the heading miscellaneous again t return of British and *ex* Indian officers struck off the Indian establishment &c In column when to be sent " *expunge* the words from or to Presidency

Add as para 2598 A.

2598-A The record of service of officers of the unattached list will be prepared in triplicate by the Officer Commanding the Briti h Regiment to which an officer is attached immediately on his joining and submitted to the Adjutant General for verification After being verified one copy will be retained in the Adjutant General s Office and the other two copies returned to the regiment. One of these (which will be considered the original) will be kept by the regiment until the appointment of the officer to a native corps, *when it will be completed up to date of his departure and transferred to the Officer Commanding the native regiment and the other copy will be for the use of the officer himself In all other respects the rules in paragraph 2598 will apply to these officers records of service*

G O 16 — Books — Regulations.

The following correction is made in Army Regulations India, Volume VIII " Veterinary

Appendix VIII added by G O 107 of 1890 *expunge* rule XIV, and *add* the following after the addition made by G O 45 of 1893 —

Applications in such cases for the grant of pensions or gratuities to the followers and to their families will be prepared by the departmental officers concerned on Military Account Forms 418 and 356 respectively and forwarded to the Controller of Military Accounts with the following documents for submission to the Government of India —

(*a*) Proceedings of any court of enquiry or Committee which assembled on the spot to investigate and record the circumstances under which *the follower was killed wounded or injured*

(*b*) Medical officer s certificate

(*c*) Service book if it has been maintained

(*d*) Any other document required in support of the application

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G O 17 — Books — Forms

The following Army Form has been cancelled —

Army Form B 250 " Transfer document extract from register of certificates of education " and will be struck off India Army Form 225 " List of Forms

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Adjutant General in India

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G O 18—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations, India, Vol II Discipline " —

Para. 7 page 14 In column " Badges Mottoes, etc.," opposite 28th Regiment before Kandahar, *insert* " Progredior

Para. 28 *For* the word divisional in the first line *read* district "

Para. 30 *For* the word 'divisional *read* 'district" in the second line

Para 146 *Add* the following clause —

(*g*) In Madras the Adjutant keeps under the Commanding Officer's orders, all books and forms for the record of the Paymaster s transactions as laid down in the Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts Madras

Para 147 *Erase* clause (*k*) and *substitute* the following —

The Quarter Master is *ex officio* Treasurer of all Public Funds. The rules regarding the keeping of these funds and issue of necessaries are contained in the Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts, Madras

NOTE.—Order regarding receipt nd issue of stores are contained in paras. 123 to 138, Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts.

Para. 226 (Revised section V) For the word ' transmit in line 8 *substitute* ' forward and for the words " Adjutant General for disposal in lines 9 and 10 *substitute* Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief for transmission. '

Para. 236 (Revised section V)

Clause (*d*) Item 7 is cancelled

Clause (*f*) Item 9, is cancelled.

Para. 413 *Expunge* the word ' divisional in the ninth line.

Para 415. *Expunge* the word 'division in the fourth line

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Para 416. *Expunge* the words "division or" in first line

Para. 417 *Expunge* the words "divisions and" in first line.

Para 431 line 5. *Expunge* the words "divisional or"

Para. 435 *Expunge* the words "divisions and" in first line

Para. 437 *Expunge* the words "division or" in the eleventh line.

Para. 451 lines 8 and 14 *Dele* the words "divisions and"

Para. 452, line 6 *Dele* the words "division or"

Para 455 line 6 *Dele* the words "division or"

Para. 504 C, line 6 *Dele* the words "division or

Para 506 (*c*) line 10 *Dele* the words "division," and in line 11 after "Aden *Dele* "brigade and *substitute* "district"

Para. 506(*d*) line 1 *Dele* divisions and"

Para 515, line 13 *For* "Officers," *read* "Officer," and in line 14, *dele* the words "Division or Brigade

Para. 516 line 9. *For* "Officers *read* "Officer," and in line 10, *dele* the words "Divisions or Brigades."

Para. 518 line 3 *Dele* the words "divisions and

Add new para. —

685. (*a*) The duties of Commanding Officers of Madras Regiments with respect to regimental *accounts* are *laid* down in the "Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts Madras

Add new para. —

703 (*e*) The duties of Squadron and Wing Commanders in Madras with regard to the keeping of Regimental Accounts are laid down in the "Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts, Madras"

G O 18—contd

Para. 705. At end of para. *substitute* a comma for the fullstop and *add*— every facility being given them to make themselves thoroughly conversant with the sys tem of regimental accounts for which purpose they should assist in keeping various accounts and in preparing muster rolls &c until they are thoroughly proficient "

Para. 710 lines 2 and 4 *Dele* division or and in last two lines *for* Deputy Adjutant General or Assistant Adjutant General Royal Artillery *substitute* 'Inspector General of Artillery in India

Para. 734, line 1 *Expunge* the words ' divisions and

Para. 795 is reconstructed as follows —

795 Instructions regarding the issue of pay will be found in paras. 184 and 185 of the Instructions for keep ing Regimental Accounts Madras '

Para. 841 line 1 *Expunge* the words divisions and '

Para 883 *Add*—in Madras no deposits of a strictly private nature are permitted. (See para 11 of ' Instruc tions for keeping Regimental Accounts, Madras ')

Para. 888 as reconstructed by G O No 62 of 1892— the following alterations are made —

In lines 12 and 13 *erase* the words actual cash balance and *substitute* for them " the amount to credit and in line 13 after the word and *insert* the words " actual cash balance

In line 17 *after* the word " Commanding " *add* Sur prise Inspections of the Cash Chest will be held in accordance with the rules contained in the " Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts, Madras

Para. 885-A is cancelled

Para. 892(xi) line 1 *Dele* divisions and, and in clause (xviii) *dele* the words division or "

Para. 894 line 1 *Dele* the words Divisions and bri gades."

Para 905, line 7 *Dele* ' Division or "

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Para 416. *Expunge* the words "division or in first line

Para. 417 *Expunge* the words "divisions and" in first line.

Para 431 line 5. *Expunge* the words "divisional or

Para. 435 *Expunge* the words "divisions and i first line

Para. 437 *Expunge* the words 'division or in t eleventh line.

Para. 451 lines 8 and 14 *Dele* the words di and

Para. 452 line 6. *Dele* the words "division or

Para. 455 line 6 *Dele* the words 'division or

Para. 504 C line 6. *Dele* the words "division or

Para 506 (*c*) line 10 *Dele* the words div in line 11 after "Aden *Dele* "brigade an 'district"

Para. 506(*d*) line 1 *Dele* ' divisions and

Para. 515, line 13 *For* ' Officers, *read* in line 14 *dele* the words Division or Brigad

Para. 516 line 9. *For* ' Officers *read* in line 10, *dele* the words "Divisions or Bri

Para. 518, line 3 *Dele* the words division

Add new para. —

685. (*a*) The duties of Commanding Offic s Regiments with respect to regimental accoun down in the "Instructions for Keeping Re counts Madras

Add new para. —

703 (*a*) The duties of Squadron and ers in Madras with regard to the keeping Accounts are laid down in the Instru Regimental Accounts, Madras

G O 18—contd

Para. 1983 line 3 *Expunge* the words "division or"

Para. 2001 line 10 *Expunge* the word "division"

Para 2004, line 3 *For* the word "division," *substitute* ' district.

Para 2007 *For* the word ' divisional,' *substitute* "district."

Para. 2012 line 1 *Expunge* the words " division or '

Para 2105, line 2. *Dele* the words "division or '

Para. 2109, line 4. *Expunge* the words " division or "

Para. 2137, line 4 *Dele* ' division or

Para. 2209 is cancelled

Para. 2216 *Expunge* the words ' divisions and' in the second line

Para. 2230 In second clause *after* the word ' enlistment ' *insert* ' (excepting those of followers, which may be disposed of by the General Officer Commanding)"

Para 2236 *Expunge* the words " division or ' in the second line of correction made by G O 41 of 1888

Para. 2239—at end, *add* the adjustment of this advance will be carried out in accordance with paras. 65 to 69 of the " Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts.' Forms for keeping these accounts should be given to the officer in charge of the recruiting party and the procedure carefully explained to him before he leaves

Para. 2251 *Expunge* the word " divisions in the first line and *substitute* Districts

Para. 2271 *Add* the following footnote —

Note—Clauses (*c*), (*d*) (*f*) and (*g*) are not applicable to Rajputana and other Native States outside the limits proper of the Bombay Presidency the person who enlists the man is responsible for the correctness of the caste parentage &c

Special instructions have been issued to District Officials with reference to the descriptive returns referred to in clause (*c*)

G O 18—contd

Para. 2300 *Expunge* the words "division or" in the fourth line

Para. 2310 *Expunge* the words 'divisions and' in the second line

Para. 2315 *Expunge* the words "divisions and" in the first line

Para. 2338 *Expunge* the words "Division or" in the fifth line.

Para. 2345 *Expunge* the words 'divisional and' in the third line and *insert* after 'district' in same line "Staff"

Para. 2356 *Expunge* the words "divisions and" in the second line

Para 2357 *Expunge* the word 'divisions' in the third line

Para. 2428 (*d*) *add* at end of "or of a certificate signed by a Military Officer personally cognisant of the facts, that they were actually engaged in military service in presence of the enemy"

Para 2479 clause (*b*) *Expunge* the word "Division" in the second line

Clause (*c*) *Expunge* the word "division" in the first line

Clause (*d*) *Expunge* the word "division" in the fifth line

Para 2482. *Expunge* the words "Divisions and" in the third line

Para 2493 *Expunge* the words 'division or' in the fourth line

Para 2497 *Expunge* the word 'divisions' in the third line and *substitute* 'Districts'

Para. 2514 *Expunge* the words "Division" "or brigades,' in the second and third lines

G O 18—contd

Para 2551 *Expunge* the words "Division or " in the twelfth line

Para. 2553 clause (*a*) *Expunge* the words "Division, Brigade in the fourth line and *substitute* the word District

Para. 2574. *Dele* the words Divisions and in the major heading and under the heading *Yearly* in column "Description of return *for* Brigades *substitute* ' District and *dele* Brigade Majors

Para 2574 (As amended by G O 95 of 1890)

Under half yearly against "Inspection report on transport on the command in the column ' to whom sent *expunge* the words Commissary Generals of Circles and '

Para 2575 *For* brigades in the major heading *substitute* Districts and under the heading *Half yearly* and *monthly* in the column to whom sent," *dele* the words of division

Para. 2576 Under the headings '*yearly*' and "*monthly* ' in the column to whom sent, ' *dele* the words "of division

Para 2576 Under the heading ' *weekly* in the column ' to whom sent, *dele* the words "Brigade-major or '

Para. 2578 Under the heading "*weekly* in the column ' to whom sent *dele* the words Brigade major or

Para. 2605 In the heading, *dele* ' Acquittance roll for Adjutant s Department.

Para 2608 (*c*) clause (II) As reconstructed by G O 77 of 1887, *expunge* the words "division or in the fifth and sixth lines

Para. 2620 *Add* as clause (*b*) the following —

In Madras the Subsidiary Books and Forms for the record of the Paymaster s transactions are laid down in the Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts in Native Corps

G O 18—contd

Para. 2622 *Expunge* the words "division or" in the sixth line

Para. 2630 is reconstructed as follows —

The following books are to be kept in troops and companies —

1 A book to contain miscellaneous acquittances clothing rolls, return of arms, and cart fund accounts

2 Acquittance rolls

3 Half mounting accounts

4 Hutting account.

5. Defaulter sheets

Para. 2631 *Dele* heading and the following three lines, and *insert*—

Book No 1 (Miscellaneous)

In this book are to be entered clothing rolls, return of arms and acquittances for all miscellaneous payments not included in other company accounts and any other records that may be necessary

Book No 2 (Acquittance rolls.)

The method of keeping this book is laid down in the "Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts in Native Corps.'

Para. 2632 is reconstructed as follows :—

3 and 4 Half mounting and hutting accounts

2632 Full instructions for keeping up these books are laid down in the Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts in Native Corps'

Para. 2633. Heading *substitute* "5" *for* "3."

G O 18—concld

Para. 2634 *Dele* sub-heads 7, 8 and 9 and *enter* as follows —

7 General cash books	Madras
8 An account of each fund in his charge and of advances and conversions	
9. Necessary account	
10 Effects of deceased men and deserters	
11 Register of bazaars, lascars puckallies, and a roll of persons allowed to reside in the regimental lines	Madras.

and number remaining books—

"10 to *read* "12
'11 13'
'12' , "14.
"13 , '15."

Para. 2635. In line 5, *dele* ' Cash Accounts and "

Para. 2641 is reconstructed as follows —

7 8 9 10 General cash book conversions, advances and accounts of all funds necessary account effects of deceased men and of deserters.

Instructions for keeping these books are laid down in the ' Instructions for keeping Regimental Accounts in Native Corps."

Para. 2642 is cancelled and to the heading of para 2643, *after* the words "Register of" *insert* the word "Bazaars.

Para. 2643. The number at heading of this para. should be changed from 9 to 11

Para. 2644 The number of heading to *read* '12 *not* "10."

Para. 2645. The number of heading to *read* "13 *not* "11

Para. 2646 The number of headings to *read* "14' *not* '12" and "15 *not* ' 13 respectively

Para. 2730. In fourth line *expunge* " Divisions and.

Para. 2731 In seventh line, *expunge* division or

Para. 2819 In fourth line *for* division *read* district."

G O 19.—Clothing—Dress.

The following corrections and additions are made in Army Regulations India, Volume VII, Dress.

Page 38. In line 34 after the word ' Collar *insert* with grenades two and a quarter inches long in gold em broidery

Page 88, line 30, Omit the words " a diced border and

Page 167, line 12 *dele* the word ' blue " and substitute ' scarlet * '

**N B*—Waistcoats in possession may continue to be worn until they require to be replaced

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G O 20—Barrack Department—Regulations (Qr Mr General.)

With the sanction of the Government of India, the follow ing corrections are made in the Bengal Barrack Regulations :—

Military Department No 717 M.W dated 6th March 1894.

Para. 217 For the first three lines *substitute* —

This Committee will meet on the 1st day of April in each year for the purpose of considering all requirements in connection with barrack and hospital accommodation at the station, one report being prepared

Para 218 Expunge from line 4 to 11, and *substitute* :—

The General Officer Commanding on receiving these reports will, in communication with the Superintending Engineer draw up one list of works for his district, entering in it in what be considers the order of their urgency the requirements of his command

Insert the following as a new para —

' 251 A In addition to the articles of furniture authorised for them in Appendix A the following will be supplied for the use of the master gunners occupying the rest house at Fort Fulta :—

Military Department No. 800-M W., dated 13th March 1894

1 Almirah
1 Commode, complete with crockery
1 Scoop, dry earth
1 Wash hand stand, complete

G O 81—Transport Regulations (Qr Mr General.)

The following alterations are made in Army Regulations, India Volume X —

PART I

Para. 211 —*Add* as a second clause :—

'Officers of the British service on the personal staff of the Commanders-in Chief in India, Madras, or Bombay are entitled to free passage to England on the expiration of the tenure of their appointment, provided that their regiments or batteries are not in India, and that they are required to join a regiment or battery out of India.'

Para. 228 (iv) *Substitute* a comma for the semicolon at the end of the third line, and *add* " except in the case of classes for signalling telegraphy and gymnastic instruction

Para 437 *Insert* as clause (*f*)

(*f*) To drivers of baggage mules of mountain batteries by Government steamer when proceeding to their homes on being invalided or discharged through no fault of their own

Present clauses (*f*) and (*g*) are re-lettered (*g*) and (*h*)

Add as new para 492 A —

492 A Parcels may be sent to England in any troopship provided with a parcel room under lock and key Such parcels are, however only to be carried for the personal convenience of officers and men serving abroad up to the capacity of the room specially provided for them and are not to contain groceries vegetables fruit, or any edible except in very special cases to be judged of in each instance by the captain of the vessel.

Their shipment will be arranged for by General Officers Commanding Districts in communication with General Officers Commanding at ports of embarkation, and a parcels note (India Army Form No 370) is invariably to be used.'

G O 81—contd

PART II

Para. 190 For the fullstop *insert* a comma, and *add* "and to enter in the book kept for the purpose, their names, corps, or department, and amounts paid"

Para. 490 *Add* the following at end of the paragraph —

"Superintendents, Army Clothing, are authorised to issue railway credit notes for stores despatched from factories"

Add as new para. 517 A —

"517 A. Regimental European non-commissioned officers and men of the British army are allowed to travel with return tickets at single fares on open lines of railway worked by the State, when such non commissioned officers and men are permitted by the officer commanding to go out either individually or in small parties for purposes of sport or recreation. These tickets will be available for a period not exceeding six days from time of departure to time of return

A certificate in the following form, granted by the officer commanding must be handed to the railway booking clerk when the return tickets are applied for —

Form of Certificate

No

To the Station Master, Railway

(Station)

Station .. 189

Certified that (Rank)

(Name) .. ..

(Corps) ... .

has been granted leave to proceed to (Name of station)

.. ..

Commanding ..

(Regiment, Battery, Detachment, &c.)

G O 21.—concld

N B—This certificate is granted that the bearer may obtain a return ticket at single fare for the class in which he travels Unless the return journey is completed within six days full fare will be charged for the return journey in addition to the fare already paid

The certificate is only available at present on open lines of railway worked directly by the State

Para 519 (vi) *Substitute* a comma for the fullstop at the end of the third line and *add* *except in the case of classes for signalling telegraphy, and gymnastic instruction"*

Para 693 A *Add* Free passage to their homes by rail and river steamer is authorised for the drivers of baggage mules of mountain batteries when invalided or discharged through no fault of their own

Para. 696 The addition made by G O 63 of 1893 is cancelled

Explanatory Notes to Statement A. of Appendix IV page 187 clause (*ii*) In the third line, for the word camp *substitute* public"

Page 199. Appendix IV Statement G

At the bottom of the Statement *add* the following —

Tent, Native Cavalry	—		—		17	28½	Tent, Native Cavalry	—	—		17	28½	Tent, Native Cavalry	—			17	½

G O 22.—Drill and Instruction—Musketry—Books.

In continuation of G O 8 of 1894, the following corrections are made in the Musketry Regulations for the Native Army 1892 —

Pages 17 and 18 Table B. In the first column, 2nd Period (Collective) against Rapid Volleys and ' Independent" and after time allowed' *for* "one minute *read* ' 50 seconds

Page 80 lines 28 to 30 (as amended by G O 8 of 1894) *For* one minute for 7 rounds *read* ' 50 seconds for 5 rounds

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G O 23.—Discharges—British Army—General.

The following additions and corrections are made to the Discharge Regulations —

Add new para. :—

25 A. General officers commanding at ports of embarkation will issue such instructions to embarking officers as will ensure the ordinary kit bags of Insanes being placed in the ship s baggage room The special sea kit laid down in para. 2174 Army Regulations, India, Volume V will be used instead

Para. 68, as amended by G O 9 of 1892 Expunge last four lines

The following has been introduced —

India Army Form 231 —' Reservists Sheet Roll (Madras) Issued gratis, as required

2 The following has been revised —

India Army Form 108 —' Annual return of probable requirements of British Corps to complete to established strength, and will be taken into use at once

3 The following have been cancelled —

Army Form C 2106 —" Descriptive return of candidates for Military Staff clerkship,

Army Forms A 1346 — Condition of loaded mines."

G O. 24.—Books—Forms.

4. The following alterations are made in India Army Form 225 List of forms, &c

In the second column supplied gratis or on payment,' against India Army Form 1 for 'P' *substitute* "G"

In the column of remarks against India Army Form 120, *after* as required *add* ' also to officers of the Military Works Department.

Under Army Forms *expunge* the entry B 2085, Observers report, siege Artillery ' and all entries against it, the form having been superseded by India Army Form 272 Observers report on the Annual Siege practice, Garrison Artillery " introduced by G O 47 of 1892

5 With reference to G O s 7 and 14 of 1894, the following forms will be issued as shown below —

India Army Forms 365 356, 367, 368 371 374, 375, 376, 377 378 379, 'gratis ' as required, and 372 and 373 " on payment, as demanded

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G O 25 —Books—Regulations

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations, India, Vol. II " Discipline" —

Para. 7 In column " Pagri" opposite 5th Bombay Cavalry (Sind Horse) *expunge* " Dark blue Kazlbash " and *insert* " Red Kulla.

Para 73 The first sentence is reconstructed as follows —

" At the expiration of one year's actual duty with a British Infantry Regiment (exclusive of all leave excepting privilege leave) an officer will be admitted to the Staff Corps in the rank of 2nd Lieutenant and appointed to a Native Regiment but he will receive pay as Lieutenant

Para. 74 (as revised by G O., dated 1st January 1894)— Lines 1 and 2 *For* the words "one year's actual duty with a Native Regiment" *read* " two years and three months service from the date of first commission

Para. 96 In the heading *insert* an asterisk after— " B— Officers of Corps serving out of India " and *add* a footnote as follows —

* No more appointments to the Indian Staff Corps from Corps serving out of India will be made after the trooping season of 1894-95

Para. 140-A as added by G O 59 of 1893

For the designations of the Corps given in the margin of the para. *read*—

9th Regiment of Bengal Lancers.

10th (The Duke of Cambridge's Own) Regiment of Bengal Lancers

11th (Prince of Wales Own) Regiment of Bengal Lancers

13th (The Duke of Connaught's) Regiment of Bengal Lancers

15th (Cureton's Multani) Regiment of Bengal Lancers

17th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry

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19th Regiment of Bengal Lancers

19th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry

20th (The Duke of Cambridge's Own Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry

21st (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry

22nd	"	"	"	"	"
24th	"	"	"	"	"
25th	"	"	"	"	"
26th	"	"	"	"	"
27th	"	"	"	"	"
28th	"	"	"	"	"

40th (Pathan) Regiment of Bengal Infantry

Para. 334 (revised section V) In line 16 after the words "in lieu of examination" *add* "provided they were obtained in the rank of Captain or with eight years' service as Lieutenant."

Para 1490. *Add* at end —

"This also applies to officers of the unattached list awaiting admission to the Indian Staff Corps except that they will wear the uniform of the unattached list until permanently appointed to a Native Regiment"

Add new para —

1616-A. An officer appointed on first commission in the Army, or from half pay, to a corps on the Indian establishment, will be required to join his unit within two months of the date of the *London Gazette* announcing his appointment, should he be residing in India, or have arrived in the country, on or before that date.

Para. 1743 A. *Add* as last clause —

"With a view to the speedy disposal of the cases of these men, medical officers and subordinates at stations at which

G O 25—concld.

the men are on leave should be careful, on their departure to immediately forward the medical documents in connection with the cases to the officer to whom the men will agreeably to the first clause of this paragraph, next report themselves

Para. 2696 (*f*) *Substitute* a comma for the full stop at end of para. and *add* —

And this information should also be entered in Appendix H in the column of remarks

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G O 26.—Barrack Department—Regulations. (Qr Mr Genl.)

With the sanction of the Government of India, the following additions are made in the Bengal Barrack Regulations —

Military Department No 1003 M W., dated 11th April 1894.

Para 256 A After " Fort Lahore *insert* a comma, *and add* Nos. III and IV Redoubts at Lucknow

Military Department No. 1026- I W dated 13th April 1894

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Against the figure 2 opposite the entry pipes hose canvas, with screws, 50 feet, *insert* an asterisk and *add* the following note at the foot of the page —

* A third length will be issued when certified by the Officer Commanding the station to be absolutely necessary

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G O 27—Discharges—British Army—General.

The following corrections are made in the Discharge Regulations —

Para. 1 The first sentence is revised as follows

Applications for the discharge of soldiers under classes A, B D, E (if under 18 years service) F J K L, M (c) O and T, section XIX, Queen's Regulations are to be

G O 27—contd

forwarded (as well as all subsequent correspondence on the subject) to General Officers Commanding Districts, who will issue the necessary authority and carry out the dis charge.

Add new para —

53 A. The following instructions for the disposal of the dis harge documents of men, whose discharge is carried out *in India* should be strictly adhered to

I —The documents of *all* men discharged as medically unfit from the colors or with claims to pension will be sent to the Adjutant General to the Forces, Horse Guards, London, as soon as possible after confirmation

II —*In all other cases* they will be sent directly the discharge is carried out to the undermentioned officers —

Cavalry —Officer Commanding Cavalry Depôt Canter bury

Royal Artillery —Officer in charge of Regimental Re cords, Woolwich

Royal Engineers —Officer in charge of Regimental Re cords Chatham.

Infantry —Officer Commanding the Regimental District

The nominal list of men discharged (Army Form B-99) submitted monthly to Adjutants General by General Officers Commanding Districts should show that the documents of men reported as having been discharged have been disposed of in accordance with the above instructions

Para 62 *For* classes O I and Q (*vide* Queen s Regulations, para. 124 section 19) *read* " classes P, Q and R section XIX, Queen s Regulations "

G O 28.—Organization—Garrison Artillery

With reference to Army Order No 50 dated War Office 1st April 1894 the following changes will take effect in Companies of Garrison Artillery serving in India —

No 22 Company Southern Division (Heavy Battery) will become No 24 Company Southern Division (Heavy Battery)

G O 28—contd.

No 24 Company Southern Division, will become No 28 Company Southern Division

No. 20 Company, Western Division will become No 22 Company Western Division

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G O 29.—Estates—Native Army

The attention of Commanding Officers is directed to the provisions of para 90 Instructions for the payment of Native Troops in India and Article 806 (a) (5) Army Regulations India Vol. I Part I regarding remittances of estates of deceased sepoys and deserters which should whenever possible be made by remittance transfer receipt and not by postal money order

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G O 30.—Medical Department.

The following rules for the training of British soldiers in nursing duties have been approved by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and are published for guidance in supersession of the orders contained in G O 98 of 1888 —

1 The instruction of men in these duties will be combined with the training of stretcher bearers as ordered in Army Regulations, India, Volume II paras 1790 *a* and *b*

2 In addition to the two men per troop or company to be so trained, volunteers limited in number will be permitted to attend the classes which will be held twice yearly in every station in India (small detachments excepted) One class should always be held in the hot season, when men can best be spared from regimental duties.

3 The instructor will be an officer of the Army Medical Staff nominated by the medical officer in charge of the station hospital. He will be assisted by one of the medical warrant officers attached to the Station Hospital and a steady non-commissioned officer to be detailed by the military authorities

4. Officers Commanding Corps are enjoined to give every assistance in their power to medical officers by selecting intelligent men to be so trained

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5 While men are being trained they will be excused all duties, it being so arranged that this training and the annual course of musketry will not clash.

6 The instruction will be carried out daily (Sundays and Thursdays excepted) until the men have been well trained in stretcher bearer duties and at least 12 lectures on nursing duties have been delivered the attendance on the latter being voluntary The appliances, instruments &c necessary for carrying out the instruction are available in every station hospital except that two full sized diagrams (1) the skeleton showing the ligaments and (2) the heart, blood vessels and muscles must be provided from the regimental or garrison library

The part of the instruction included in this paragraph should occupy about one month.

7 At the termination of the class an examination will be held and report made (as far as stretcher bearer duties are concerned) in accordance with paragraphs 72 and 73, Section XIV Queen s Regulations, 1892

8 Those men who on examination have shown that they have learned something as regards nursing duties, will then be sent into the wards for further practical instruction under the lady nurses, and will act as supernumerary orderlies during such hours in the day time as may be found most convenient for instruction This part of the instruction should last at least one month. Those men who are considered fully trained, will then be given a certificate of efficiency in nursing duties

9 In the case of corps at stations where there are not any lady nurses it is permissible for men trained in accordance with paragraph 6 to be sent to the nearest hospital at which lady nurses are employed for instruction under them for a period not exceeding two months This procedure is to be compulsory when there are not sufficient men at the station in possession of a nursing certificate to supply the number of orderlies required Application to send men is to be made by the medical officer in charge of the station hospital through the Officer Commanding the Corps from

G O 30—concld

which the men are taken to the district authorities who will make arrangements with the medical officer in charge of the hospital at the nursing instruction station for their reception Men should not be sent from more than one station at a time and the number must be limited to eight

10 From the men trained in accordance with the preceding paragraph orderlies will be obtained as required for attendance on serious cases and they will receive such extra pay as may be authorised They will be obtained from only one regiment at a time and will be placed under charge of a non-commissioned officer if possible under one who has himself been through a stretcher bearer and nursing class. This non-commissioned officer could also act as Librarian to the hospital.

11 No soldier will receive extra pay as a nursing orderly until he is in possession of the certificate mentioned in paragraph 8

12 The period during which a soldier may be employed as a nursing orderly has been fixed at 12 months but he will always be liable to be remand d to his regiment (by the medical officer in charge of the hospital) for misconduct, or if in consequence of the decrease of serious cases his services are not required During this period of 12 months he will be excused all duties except the Annual Course of Musketry

13 When a corps quits a nursing instruction station otherwise than for mobilisation any men who have not completed their year of nursing service in hospital, should remain even though their corps may be proceeding to another Presidency

14 The amount of money allotted to each station hospital as extra duty pay to nursing orderlies will be notified to district Principal Medical Officers and Pay Examiner of the Circle by the Principal Medical Officer Her Majesty's Forces in India

15 Medical officers in charge of station hospitals will draw the extra duty pay* of nursing orderlies with the pay of the hospital establishment generally and disburse it to the men individually Under no circumstances is th allotment to be exceeded

* 4 annas daily

G O 31. — Books — Forms

The following have been introduced —

Army Form B 127 — Nominal Roll of detachments of troops on passage to England —Issued "gratis" to General Officers Commanding Bombay and Sind Districts, as required

Army Form C 2112 — Quarterly Qualification Return of Master Gunners —Supplied gratis to Officers Commanding Royal Artillery under whom Master Gunners are serving and to Colonels on the Staff Commanding Royal Artillery Circles at ten copies each annually

Arm Form O 1624 — Certificate of non-effective accounts of deserters —Issued gratis at 10 per Regiment of British Cavalry 12 per Battalion of Briti a Infantry and six per Batt ry f Royal Artillery

2 The following hav been revised —

India Army Form 163 — Descriptive roll of Native Officers recommended for grants of land "

India Army Form 166 — Return of particulars respecting—— appointed to the School of—— —To be taken into use in supersession of existing stock which should be destroyed

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Addenda —After the words expunge last f ur lines " in G O 23, dated 1st April 1894 *insert* the heading G O 24 —Books—Forms and at top of page 77 *read* G O 24—continued

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G O. 32—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations, India, Volume II Discipline "

Para. 57 Under salutes of 21 guns, *for* " Baroda.—The Maharaja of (Gaekwar) " *read* " Baroda—The Maharaja (Gaekwar) of—

Under salutes of 13 guns, *put* a star against the Raja of Benares

Under salutes of 11 guns, *put* a star against the Thakur Sahib of Bhaunagar

After Mandi—The Raja of— *insert* Manipur—The Raja of— "

The footnote marked † should be *read* as follows —

The present Chief of Samthar enjoys the personal title of Maharaja.

Under the salutes of 9 guns *expunge* the entry made by G O 37 of 1893 *after* Barwani—The Rana of— "

For Jangira —The Nawab of (Habshi)— *read* "Jangira—The Nawab (Habshi) of—

For ' Lunawara—The Raja of,"—*read* Lunawara—The Rana of—

Under personal salutes—*for* Salutes of 21 guns' *read* Salute of 21 guns —*Erase* the first two entries.

Under salutes of 19 guns,—*for* ' His Highness Ali Murad Khan—Mir of— *read* ' His Highness Sir Ali Murad Khan G.C.I E.,—Mir of— "

For ' Salutes of 17 guns " *read* " Salute of 17 guns "

For 'His Highness Mahindar Sawai Partab Singh Bahadur—Maharaja of—, *read* " His Highness Mahindar Sawai Sir Partab Singh, Bahadur, K C.I E. —Maharaja of—.

Under salutes of 15 guns,—*for* 'His Highness Sir Takhtsinghji Jaswatsinghji G. C. S. I. —Thakur Sahib of— " *read* His Highness Sir Takhtsinghji Jaswatsinghji G.C S.I.,—Maharaja of—

Under salutes of 13 guns,—*erase* the 2nd and 3rd entries.

Under salute of 12 guns, *for* " Sahar and Makalla *read* ' Shihr and Mokalla "

G O 32—contd.

Under salutes of 9 guns *for* "Kishin' *read* "Kishn'
For ' Las Bela—Mir Jam Ali Khan C I E., Mir of—
read " Las Bela—Mir Sir Ali Khan K C I E., Jam of—

Para. 223 (revised section V) *Dele* the words " for the Corps of Sappers and Miners which will be supplied by the Adjutant General and "

Para. 236 (c) (revised section V) *After* Rifle Exercises and Musketry Instruction' *add* ' Indian appendix to the British Musketry Regulations

Para. 236 (c) revised section V) *After* Rifle Exercise and Musketry Instruction *add* ' Indian appendix to the British Musketry Regulations

Para. 508—*Expunge* the sentence commencing in line 10 with the words care must be taken to end of bracket, and *substitute* the following —

' The discharge will be confirmed by the man s Commanding Officer (*vide* Queen s Regulations section XIX para 107 causes of discharge Q and R.) and care must be taken that the discharge certificate is forwarded to the Officer Commanding the station, where the prison in which the man is confined is situated, before the expiration of the sentence of imprisonment.

Para. 1639 is reconstructed as follows —

1639. The Commandant and 2nd in-Command of a regiment cannot both be absent at the same time, unless on medical certificate and when two officers, including attached officers, are absent on leave out of India a third officer of the same regiment cannot be granted leave on private affairs, except under very special circumstances.

Para. 1827 (revised section XV) In 12th line *for* ' India Army Form 33 *read* " India Army Form 32—

Para. 1828 (revised section XV) is cancelled, and the following substituted :—

1828. In preparing these monthly and quarterly accounts the following rules will be attended to —

G O 32—contd

The stock account—form A on the 1st page of India Army Form 32—is not a cash, but a stock balance sheet and will show in detail the quantity and value *at cost price*—

(*a*) of stock in hand at the end of the preceding morth or quarter

(*b*) of stock purchased during the mouth or quarter less, in the case of malt liquor received through the agency of the State the allowance on account of dryage

(*c*) of stock remaining in hand at the end of the month or quarter for which the account is rendered

Th issues *at selling price* including value of surplus, will be included in the same form the total being carried forward to form B as value of sales during the month (or quarter) The stock in hand at the beginning of the month or quarter and the purchases, should exactly cor respond with the sales and stock remaining all profits be ing accounted for in the value of issues *at selling price*
The value of malt liquor rum etc issued to the Ser geants Mess whether in bulk or otherwise will be included in the value of issues in form A *at selling price* (para. 1807 B) The cash account—form B of India Army Form 32—will shew all receipts and disbursements during the month or quarter all bills being if possible paid in the month in which incurred. Refunds of loans to other branches of the institute will be properly accounted for and no sums are to be ex pended unless authorized by regulation (paras 1826 I II and III) or sanctioned by the proper authority which sanction in the case of the monthly account must be quoted opposite each item Coffee for guards will be shewn as or dinary expenses under the orders of the Commanding Offi cer (para 1826 II) unless specially sanctioned under para 1825 III The pay of the hospital librarian will be shewn as authorized under para 18 6 III The cash received or paid for furniture fixtures or stock sold to or taken over by corps arriving at or leaving a station will be accounted for in the *first* account rendered after the transaction

G O 32—contd

The balance sheet—form C—will account for all cash in hand, value of stock in hand, and sums due from other branches etc also for all sums due to the Commissariat Department, brewers tradesmen, other branches, etc. but the value of liquor bar property will not be shewn

The accounts will be dated the first of the new month or quarter

India Army Form 32 is to be strictly adhered to. When printed at regimental presses, the size of paper, etc., and, as far as possible, the type should agree with the Government form and no additions are to be made

Paras. 2199 to 2227 *For* heading 'Special Bengal *read* ' Special Bengal and Burma Battalions of Madras Infantry'

Paras 2228 to 2231 *Dele* the addition made at end by G O No 62 of 1892

Para. 2229. *Dele* the addition (2nd clause) made by G O No 62 of 1892.

Para. 2235 *Dele* the addition made by G O No 62 of 1892

Para. 2252 *Dele* the addition made by G O No. 62 of 1892

Para. 2253 *Dele* the addition made by G O No. 62 of 1892.

Paras 2228 to 2258 *for* heading "Special Madras *read* ' Special Madras, excepting Burma Battalions of Madras Infantry

Para. 2660 (*d*) (ii) *Substitute* a semicolon for the full stop after "country" and *add* 'but no munshi or teacher engaged in the instruction of candidates or directly or indirectly interested in their passing, is to be utilised for this purpose.

Para 2664 is reconstructed as follows —

A field officer will be detailed to superintend the examination He will not be required to take any part in the

G O 32—contd

examination of candidates, but he will remain present and be responsible that the rules laid down in the regulations, and in the memorandum of instructions from the Board of Examiners to the Staff Officer of the station for the proper conduct of the examination are strictly complied with and at its conclusion he will send in a report that this has been done to the Staff Officer for the information of the Officer Commanding the station, and a duplicate copy to the Secretary Board of Examiners The cover containing the answer papers and the reports should be sealed in the presence and despatched under the frank, of the Superintending Officer, to the Secretary Board of Examiners, Calcutta, by the first post

Add the following as para. 2664 A —

2664 A. An officer who has passed at least the higher standard in Hindustani will be appointed to conduct the examination Should there be more than ten candidates a second fully qualified examining officer will be appointed and another for every additional ten or fraction of ten.

Para 2665 as amended by G O No 5 of 1892 is reconstructed as follows —

2665 The printed papers accompanied by lists of exercises and blank forms of report (*see* appendix C) together with a memorandum of instructions will be forwarded under the Board s seal to the Staff Officer of the station who will satisfy himself that the envelopes have not been tampered with, and that the seals are unbroken He will retain them in his personal custody until the day and hour of examination when he will deliver them with the letter of instructions into the hands of the Superintending Officer at the appointed place of examination in order that they may be opened and given to the candidates Should it appear that an envelope has been tampered with or a seal broken the Staff Officer will at once report the circumstance to the Officer Commanding the station, who will, if he considers it necessary postpone the examination and telegraph to the Secretary Board of Examiners, Calcutta, for a fresh set of examination papers at the same time reporting the fact to Army Head Quarters

G O 35—contd

Para 2666, line 5. *After* "examination' *add* 'the written exercises of each candidate are to be countersigned by the examining officer

Para. 2669, line 1 *For* "the officers' *read* "the Superintending Field Officers, and the officers"

Para. 2670, as reconstructed by G O No. 5 of 1892. *Dele* from "examining in line 2 to "committee' in line 6, and *substitute* 'Superintending field officer will in consultation with the Staff Officer of the station, see that all the necessary arrangements for the examination are completed before the appointed hour

Add the following new clauses —

(*h*) Candidates are prohibited bringing books, manuscripts, writing or blotting paper into the examination room stationery required by the candidates will be supplied by the Staff Officer of the station and the cost recovered by contingent bill, supported by vouchers signed by the superintending field officer

(*i*) Candidates are expected to attend punctually at the hour appointed for examination and none will be admitted after the examination papers have been opened

(*j*) No candidate will be allowed to quit the examination room until the expiration of half an hour from the time fixed for the commencement of the examination and any candidate who subsequently leaves the room will be held to have withdrawn from the examination and will not be allowed to return

(*k*) Any candidate bringing books or manuscripts into the examination room or detected in copying from the papers of any other candidate, or in permitting his own papers to be copied or in attempting to give or obtain assistance of any description will be required to leave the examination room, and will be reported through the Officer Commanding the station to the Adjutant General

Para 2671 clause (*d*) as reconstructed by G O No. 35 of 1891 *After* intelligible" and before in Bombay' in line 5, *add* No munshi or teacher engaged in the instruction of candidates or directly or indirectly interested in their passing is to be utilized for this purpose

Para 2679. *Add* the following as clause 2 in substitution of the clause as reconstructed by G O No 5 of 1892 —

G O 32—concld

The printed papers accompanied by lists of exercises and blank forms of report, together with a memorandum of instructions, will be forwarded under the Board's seal to the Staff Officer of the station, who will satisfy himself that the envelopes have not been tampered with, and that the seals are unbroken He will retain them in his personal custody until the day and hour of the examination when he will deliver them with the letter of instructions, into the hands of the President of the Station Committee at the appointed place of examination, in order that they may be opened and given to the candidates Should it appear that an envelope has been tampered with or a seal broken the Staff Officer will at once report the circumstance to the Officer Commanding the station, who will, if he considers it necessary postpone the examination and telegraph to the Secretary Board of Examiners Calcutta for a fresh set of examination papers at the same time reporting the fact to Army Head Quarters

Para. 2680 *After* 'examination in line 5 *insert* —

The written exercises of each candidate are to be countersigned by the President of the Committee.

Sub-section III of Section VIII has been revised and will be issued to all concerned

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G O. 33.—Barrack Department Regulations. (Qr Mr Genl.)

With the sanction of the Government of India the following addition is made in the Bengal Barrack Regulations —

Military Department No 1523 M W dated 28th M y 1894.

Para. 263 D *Insert* the following after the word 'disease" in fifteenth line —

Quicklime will be provided by regimental agency and charged for by officers commanding in their contingent bills."

G. O. 34.—Transport Regulations. (Qr Mr Genl)

The following alterations are made in Army Regulations, Volume X —

PART I

Para. 207 *Add* as a second clause —

' This rule is also applicable to the personal staff of all newly appointed Commanders in Chief irrespective of where the latter may be residing at the time of appointment

PART II

Para 201 is *reconstructed* as follows —

201 The undermentioned officers are authorised to grant and sign railway warrants —

(*i*) All officers of the Quarter Master General's Department, the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in-Chief in India and staff officers signing by order of General Officers Commanding Districts and Officers Commanding Stations.

(*ii*) The Military Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy, for men of the Viceroy's Body guard only

(*iii*) Executive commissioned officers of the Ordnance and Commissariat Departments for their subordinates, not being commissioned officers, when proceeding departmentally at the public expense the Superintendent, Mathematical Instrument Department, and honorary commissioned officers of the Ordnance Department for the despatch of stores *

(*iv*) The Principal Medical Officer, Her Majesty's Forces in India, for himself, secretaries and office establishment.

Also (other than those for railway conveyance) for himself secretaries and office establishment when proceeding with Army Head Quarters to or from Simla, or on tours of inspection.

At outposts and station where there is no xecutive or honorary commissioned officer the w rra t or credit note as the case may be may be signed by the warrant or non-commissioned officer I charge

G O 34—contd

(v) The Director General of Ordnance in India, for him self his deputy and office establishment when proceeding with the Government of India, or on tours of inspection

(vi) Principal Medical Officers of Districts, for their subordinates, not being commissioned officers and hospital attendants of the army hospital corps, when pro ceeding departmentally on duty at the public expense *

Principal Medical Officers of Districts may also issue bullock train warrants to these establishments

(vii) The Circle Paymaster for the Paymaster or Deputy Paymaster and also for the clerks attached to pension offices travelling by rail on the duty of paying pensioners when starting from head-quarters Any subsequent warrants required by them whilst in performance of their duties on the public service, may be signed by Deputy Paymasters

(viii) The Director of the Army Remount Department for himself on occasions other than on tours of inspection and his office establishment, when travelling on duty Superintendent of the Reserve and Remount Depôt at Saharunpur for warrant and non-commissioned officers attached to that depôt

All officers of the Remount Department for the con veyance of horses and stores by railway Government bul-lock train &c.

(ix) The 2nd Assistant to the Agent, Governor Gen eral for Central India for military escorts conducting pri soners from Indore to the Alipore Jail

(x) The Resident at Nepal for men of his escort travel ling on duty

(xi) Officers Commanding corps or detachments, for native soldiers and regimental followers under their com mand entitled to free passages. Also for hospital assistants attached to corps.

The warrants will be for th class of accommodation prescribed in paragraph 233 Separate return warrants should be given to those requiring them before they leave

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* Passage warrant for conveya ce ff the li of railway xcept by bullock trai will b issued by th local m litary authorities.

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their stations The words "to be used on return from furlough" or leave on medical certificate as the case may be, should be written in red ink on the return warrants

(*xii*) Officers Commanding native regiments of the Madras Army including Sappers and Miners, for the families of Madras troops when the latter are ordered on foreign service, both for the journey to their homes and back again to regimental head-quarters on return of the regiment from such service.

(*xiii*) British officers on recruiting duty, for themselves for recruiting parties and for recruits joining their regiments

(*xiv*) District and Assistant District Recruiting Officers, by rail and river for recruits and recruiting parties

(*xv*) District Recruiting officers for themselves when travelling by river steamer in lieu of drawing mileage allowance.

(*xvi*) Assistant District Recruiting officers by rail river or road, for themselves.

(*xvii*) The Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, for his charger, peon, and office records

(*xviii*) Deputy Assistants Adjutant General for Musketry when travelling on duty entitling them to warrants under the provisions of para. 512

(*xix*). The Director of Military Education in India, for one chuprassie and office records also when moving off the line of rail.

(*xx*) The Inspector-General of Artillery in India for himself, his Brigade Major, and their chargers, as also for his office establishment and records when proceeding on tours of inspection

His Brigade-Major should add and sign the following note at the foot of the warrant, viz., "Certified that one reserved first class compartment was supplied

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Also for the authorised scale of camp equipage for him self and his Brigade Major on occasions when it is absolutely necessary for the proper performance of their duties, and for his office establishment and records when moving off the line of rail

(*xxi*) The Inspector General of Cavalry in India, for himself his Brigade Major their personal servants, and chargers, when proceeding on tours of inspection

His Brigade-Major should add and sign the following note at the foot of the warrant, *viz* Certified that one reserved first class compartment was supplied "

Also for the authorised scale of camp equipage for himself and Brigade Major on occasions when it is absolutely necessary for the proper performance of their duties

(*xxii*) Controllers of Military Accounts, Inspectors-General of Ordnance and Commissaries General for officers and others serving under their orders, when proceeding on duty

(*xxiii*) The Prin ipal Veterinary Officer in India, and Inspecting Veterinary Officers, for themselves, when proceeding on tours of inspection by road or rail

(*xxiv*) The rest camp sergeant, or the commissariat subordinate at Kalka, for details moving to or from stations in the hills north of Kalka (*vide* Appendix XXXII)

The above officers will be supplied on indent by the Superintendents of Government Printing Calcutta and Fort St. George, and of the Bombay Education Society's Press respectively with all necessary railway transport forms, which must be used on every occasion of the des patch of troops or individuals by rail."

Para 245. *Substitute* a comma for the fullstop at end of the paragraph, and *add* the entry thereon and back " being initialled by the issuing officer"

Para 519-D For the words by dâk* (horse bearer or other mode) in the preamble, *substitute* " when travel ling by road* (*i.e.*, by horse or bearer dâk, or other mode of conveyance otherwise than by ordinary marching) "

G O 34—concld

Appendix XIV Rail Warrant Form C

Add the following to the first certificate at foot of the face of Form —

"Also that the weight of camp equipage of commissioned, warrant and native officers entered includes tents and their component parts only and not camp furniture, &c

Reverse of Form

Against the headings Personal baggage and ' Camp equipage, place a † and *add* the following footnote

'† The allowance of camp equipage authorised for commissioned, warrant, and native officers is intended to cover the conveyance of tents and their component parts only Camp furniture and all other personal effects come under the head of Personal baggage

(Pending a reprint of Rail Warrant Form C, these additions will be made to all warrants in writing)

Appendix XXXII, clause IV *Add* the following at end of the clause —

Escorts moving between the above stations will proceed by route march, coolies being provided for conveyance of bedding or kits, if necessary

Clause V is *reconstructed* as follows —

"V Parents or guardians proceeding with children to the Lawrence Military Asylum Sanawar or the Roman Catholic Institution at Simla will receive passages by bullock train or (when the postal authorities cannot supply this) tonga, or pony dâk, and for such portion of the journey as is necessary doolies or jhampans according to the scale quoted in clause III

From May to September and December to February, inclusive return tickets by tonga between Simla and Kalka, at a single fare available for 4½ months from date of issue are granted by the postal department to school children and their parents or guardians on a certificate signed by the head of the school.

G O 35.—Commissariat Department—Transport.

Under instructions from the Government of India Army Transport animals including all those regimental charge or on hire lent under the provisions of the marginally quoted regulations for State and private purposes to Civil and Military Officers, are not to be used for religious processions, and General Officers Commanding Districts are held responsible that these instructions are not departed from.

Paras. 1976, 1980 1985, 1989 (clause 3) and 1992, Army Regulations I dia, Volum V Commissariat—Transport.

G O 36.—Books—Forms.

The following has been revised —

India Army Form 60 — 'Envelope for use in recalling furlough and leave men Native Army, on mobilisation" Existing stock of the old form should be destroyed

2 India Army Form numbers have been allotted to the following Madras Military Forms as stated against each —

740 —' Indent No on Superintendent Army Clothing India Army Form 380 Copies will be supplied by the contractors for printing Government of India stock Forms on Indent, at 24 copies annually per corps battery and company

738 — Indent (annual) for clothing or materials, Native Troops (Madras) India Army Form 381

739 — Indent for good-conduct badges Native Troops (Madras) India Army Form 382

741 — Indent for clothing for natives attached to batteries of Artillery (Madras) India Army Form 383

742 — Size rolls for clothing Native Troops (Madras) India Army Form 384

743 — Size rolls for great coats or cloaks, Native Troops (Madras) India Army Form 385

424 — Deed of assignment (Madras) India Army Form 386

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425.— Deed of assignment (Madras),' India Army Form 387

487 —" Proceedings of Committee to value huts (Madras) India Army Form 388

488 —' Abstract of hutting money (Madras) " India Army Form 389.

489.— Hutting Roll (Madras),' India Army Form 390

509 —" Lease for grants of land (Madras), India Army Form 391

542 — Monthly return, British Cavalry (Madras), India Army Form 392

543 — Monthly return British Infantry (Madras), India Army Form 393

544 — 'Monthly return, European Veterans (Madras), India Army Form 394

546 — Monthly return, Native Cavalry (Madras) India Army Form 395

547 — Monthly return, Sappers and Miners (Madras),' India Army Form 396

548 — Monthly return, Native Infantry (Madras), India Army Form 397

712 —' Return of stock of barrack furniture (Madras)," India Army Form 398.

723 —' List of Public Works requirements for budget (Madras), India Army Form 399

725 —" Register of houses in cantonments (Madras) India Army Form 400

728 —' Return of Warrant Officers and their families requiring passage to England (Madras) India Army Form 401

813 —" Embarkation and disembarkation return (Madras),' India Army Form 402.

815 —" Time bills (Madras) India Army Form 403

817 —" Ration memorandum (Madras), India Army Form 404.

G O 36—contd

818 — Telegraph credit note books for use of rest house Superintendent (Madras), India Army Form 405

3 The following corrections are made in India Army Form 225 List of Forms, &c "—

Against India Army Forms 113 and 113 A in the column of remarks, for the words to Inspector General of Cavalry *read* to General Officers Commanding Districts

Against Army Form B-89, in the column of remarks *inser* the words in Madras supplied by Assistant Adjutant General Royal Artillery

Against Army Form B 103 in column of remarks *insert* Ootacamund under the word Simla

Against Army Forms B 169 I and II and B 194,1 to 4 in the column of remarks *insert* the words in Madras supplied by Adjutant General s office

Against Army Forms B 224 I and II and B 240 I and II in the column of remarks *insert* the words in Madras supplied by Assistant Adjutant General Royal Artillery

Against Army Form C 306 and C 337 in the column of remarks, *insert* the words, in Madras supplied by Adjutant General s office

Against Army Form C 338 in the column of remarks, *insert* the words *in Madras supplied by Principal Medical Officer Madras Army*

Against Army Form C 397 in the column of remarks *insert* the words in Madras supplied by Adjutant General s office

Against Army Form D 59, in the column of remarks, *insert* the word Ootacamund under the word Simla

Against India Army Forms 9 and 10, in the column of remarks *insert* the words in Madras supplied by Adjutant General s office with Inspection Reports

Against India Army Forms 38 and 38 A., *erase* the entries against the forms for Madras, and in the column of remarks, *insert* the words "*supplied by* Adjutant General office

Against India Army Forms 48-A. and 48 B., in the column of remarks *insert* the words in Madras supplied by Adjutant General s office

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Against India Army Form 48 C, in the column of remarks *insert* the words "In Madras supplied by Commissary General"

Against India Army Forms 49 49 A. 65 B, 113 and 113 A in the column of remarks, *insert* the words in Madras supplied by Adjutant General's office

Against India Army Form 122 *after* designation of the form *add* the word (Bengal)

Against India Army Form 162 *after* the designation of the form *add* (Bengal and Burma Battalions of Madras Infantry)

Against India Army Form 172, in the column of remarks *insert* the words 'applicable to batteries of Field and Horse Artillery and Burma Battalions of Madras Infantry in the Madras Presidency

Against India Army Form 176 in the column of remarks *insert* the words "in Madras supplied by Adjutant General's office"

Against India Army Form 234 *after* the word Bengal in designation of form *add* and (Burma Battalions of Madras Infantry)"

Against India Army Forms 260 and 261 after the word Bengal' in the designation of forms *add* and (Madras)

Against India Army Forms 312, 313 and 314, in the column of remarks *insert* the words "supplied by Adjutant General's office"

Against India Army Form 354 in the column of remarks *insert* the words in Madras supplied by Adjutant General's office

Against Field Service Forms 1, 2 3 4 and 6 in the column of remarks *insert* the word Ootacamund' under the word Simla.

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CONTENTS.

G O No. 37—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations India, Volume II Discipline" —

1 Para. 106-A is cancelled

2. Para. 204 (revised section V) —In line four *for* ' Para. 205" *substitute* ' para. 204 C

3 Para. 204 (revised section V) clause (*g*) for the list of stations now given therein *substitute*—

In Bengal

Agra, Allahabad Delhi, Fatehgarh, Ferozepore, Fort William Govindgarh, Jhansi Kohat Lahore Lucknow Defences Multan Defensive Post, Peshawar

In Madras

Bangalore (Agram Entrenchment) Belgaum Fort St George Secunderabad (Trimulgherry Entrenchment)

In Bombay

Ahmedabad Ahmednagar Mhow, Neemuch, Satara Sitabuldi (Nagpur)

In Burma

Mandalay (Fort Dufferin), Rangoon, Pagoda Defences Thayetmyo

4. Para. 204 A (revised section) —*Dele* the 1st three lines, and read instead—

" The following Coast and Frontier Defence works are specially classed as *Confidential* and will be inspected similarly to

At end of para. *add*—

In Bengal

Attock position Including the old Fort

Quetta Kach position including the Quetta Fort (Miri)

Rawal Pindi position including the Fort

Hooghly river Defences

G O 37—contd

7 Add new para. 204 D (revised section V)—

The forts referred to in para 204 B and 204 C are the following —

Defences of Railway Bridges Tunnels etc

In Bengal

Adamwahan (Bhawalpore) bridge Agra bridge Allahabad bridge Attock bridge Benares bridge Cawnpore bridge Delhi bridge Ferozepore bridge Jhelum bridge Kalpi bridge Khojak tunnel Ramowala (Sher Shah) bridge Saiad Hamid bridge Sind Peshin Railway bridges stations and minor tunnels.

In Bombay

Sukkur bridge

Forts

In Bengal

Abazai, Akalgarh, Aligarh, Bannu (Edwardesabad) Dalipgarh, Bareilly Baxa (Bhutan) Chaman Post Chunar Cuttack Hoti Mardan Jumrud, Kangra Loralai Post Ludhiana, Lundi Kotal Serai Multan old Fort, Peshin, Phillour Pithoragarh Saugor Sinjawi and other minor posts in Baluchistan

In Madras

Bellary Cannanore, Hyderabad Residency Defences Vellore

In Bombay

Asirgarh Hyderabad (Sind) Surat Castle Tarragarh Purandhar

In Burma

Bhamo, Toonghoo

8 Renumber present para. 204 B (revised section V) as 205

G O 37—concld

9. Para. 216-A. (revised section V) —The fourth clause is reconstructed as follows —

Any remarks on subjects relating solely to his own inspection which the Inspector General thinks should at once be communicated to the regiment will be made in a memorandum to the General Officer Commanding the District

10 Para. 1306 In line two *dele* the words " (seven years)

11 Para. 1500 In line 1 *for* ' half an *substitute* " one " In lines 2 and 3 *erase* the words with a fly in front of breast In line 3 *insert* " small brass *befor* ' buttons In line 5 of addition made by G O No 107 of 1887 *insert* brass *before* button and *erase* the words when covered with khaki.

11 *a* —Para. 1516 Heading Infantry on pag 291 under the heading Boys *for* 1 pair khaki gaiters *substitute* " 1 pair khaki puttis

12 Para. 1764 is expunged

13. Para. 2290 At end add the following clause ,—

But if a Commanding Officer is satisfied that an applicant has really urgent reasons for his immediate discharge the request is to be forwarded at once to the General Officer Commanding the district for disposal

14 Para. 2663. Line 5 *for* ' 20th *substitute* "15th. "

15 Para. 2695. In the 6th line *for* 'book *read* books " and *after* the words Hitu Ram " *read* for the Lower Standard and that and Dames text book of the Baluchi language for the Higher Standard "

16 Para. 2708 (*c*) *Dele* from the word on in fourth line to the end of the clause, and *substitute* ' three months before the date of the examination

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G O 38 —Clothing—Dress.

The following corrections are made to Army Regulations, India, Volume VII ' Dress

Page 80 line 24 as amended by G O 4 of 1894 *after* " officers ' *add* ' 32nd and

G O 38—contd

Page 81 line 14 *after* ' 31st *add* " 32nd Pioneers

Page 83, line 28 as amended by G. O 4 of 1894 *between* The and 34th *add* " 32nd, and in line 31 as amended by G O 4 of 1894 *between* ' officers and " 34th *add* 32nd and

Page 84 line 32, as amended by G O 4 of 1894, *between* The and 34th *add* 32nd and "

Page 86 In line 21 *after* the full stop following the word Cap *insert* ' In the 9th Gurkha Rifles a badge of crossed kookries, edge downwards, with the regimental numeral between the handles is worn in front of cap and in line 39 *after* full stop *insert* The 9th Gurkha Rifles have a badge of crossed kookries, edge downwards, with the regimental numeral between the handles."

Page 88 In line 29 *after* the full stop following the word ' angle *insert* The 9th Gurkha Rifles wear a badge of crossed kookries, edge downwards, with the regimental numeral between the handles

Page 154. *Expunge* the table showing the " Order of dress," and *substitute* Orders of dress as laid down in Queen s Regulations and orders for the Army

G O 39 —Schools.

The following addition is made to Army Regulations India, Vol XIII, Schools

Para 183 (c) (as revised by G O 51 of 1890) In line 3 after the words General Officers Commanding Districts insert the words ' In the three Presidencies direct

G O 40.—Barrack Department—Regulations Q M Gen.

With the sanction of the Government of India, the following addition is made in the Bengal Barrack Regulations —

Para 602 —Insert the following additional [illegible] note —

X Additional conservancy establishments according to actual requirements but not exceeding the strength mentioned below are sanctioned for the [illegible] [illegible] ed

G O 40—contd

at Ranikhet for a period not exceeding seven months annually .—

For the British Infantry Battalion at Kagoopur	For the head-quarters wing at Chaubattia.	For the standing camp.
6 sweepers.	4 sweepers	4 filth carts with one bullock and driver each.
rubbish cart with two bullocks and driver.	rubbish cart with two bullocks and driver.	
4 Filth carts with one bullock and driver each.	filth cart with one bullock and driver	

These establishments are not entitled to compensation for dearness of food

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G O 41. Drill and Instruction.

The following rules for the competition for the prizes sanctioned in India Army Circulars, clause 151 of 1889, are promulgated in supersession of G O 24 of 1890

Rules for competition for Sword and Lance Practice Native Cavalry

During the hot season of the year, from 15th April to the 15th October Squadron Commanders should practise their men in the use of the sword and lance, at least on two occasions weekly every man to be put though a course of "attack and defence drill each hot weather before being allowed to commence loose play mounted

Between the 1st and 31st December yearly unless prevented by some unavoidable reason, Squadron Commanders will hold competitions in their squadrons to determine the best man in the squadron

The 3rd Prize for the best man in a half squadron will only be awarded when at least two-thirds of the strength exclusive of recruits have competed

The four winners of the Squadron Prize will compete for the prize given to the best man at arms in the regiment. This competition being judged by the Commanding Officer

G O 41—contd

No man is to hold two prizes so in the case of the Squadron winner gaining the Regimental prize the next best man will be entitled to the Squadron Prize and in the same way the next for the half-squadron prize

Any men who from age or other infirmity, the Squadron Commander may consider should be exempted from these practices, should be brought before the Commanding Officer who alone has the power of granting exemption

Rules for the ' Assaults

1 The names of the competitors are to be entered in the Squadron Roll (Form A)

2 The men ar to contend mounted with masks

3. The competitors are to draw lots as to who are to contend together each couple one armed with a single stick, and the other with a dummy lance, standing facing each other on opposite sides of a circular arena will receive the commands ' left turn " canter march, and when steady attack, when they will attack each other Or an open manege is permitted at the discretion of the Officer Commanding when the pair will advance from opposite ends on the command ' attack march."

When a point or hit is made they are to be stopped by the word *steady* from the officer *superintending* and will change weapons

4. There are to be three separate rounds or attacks in each assault, unless the same man wins the first two attacks in which case a third attack is unnecessary In the 3rd attack both will be armed with single sticks or dummy lances according as the regiment is a sword or a lancer regiment.

5 The letter W is to be entered in ink at the time of the competition against the name of the man who wins each attack " and a stroke is to be drawn opposite the name of the loser On the completion of each assault " a line in red ink is to be drawn through the name of the loser

G O 41—contd

6 Those who win the first "assault' will again draw lots and compete as before The competition being continued till the co nbatants are reduced to a single pair

7 The winning man in each squadron will compete for the Regimental Prize in the same manner

8 When the entire competition is concluded, a gen ral Regimental *Return is to be made out according to* Form B

9 Decided cuts and points are to count equally The point and the side of the stick corresponding to the edge of the sword and the point of the dummy lance are to be chalked Cut and thrusts delivered otherwise than with the edge or point of the weapon do not count

Lances and sticks for this practice must be of the regulation length and the lance h ld at the balance. Hits and points must be above the waist. Any horse leaving the enclosure the rider to lose that "attack.

10. If the opponents point or cut together the attack is to continue until it is decided in favour of one or the other the supervising officer may at any time order the competitors to commence the 'attack' afresh.

11 If a man be unhorsed he will lose the attack If his horse fall th supervising officer is to decide whether the fall has occurred through bad riding or unavoidable accident In the former case the man will lose the attack in the latter he will incur no penalty

If a man drop his sword or lance and is able to recover it without as istance and win the attack, he shall have a right to do so but he is not allowe l to fight on foot If a man trike his opponent s horse his opponent is to score the attack

14 The Squadron R turns are to b preserved until the next year s competition shall have been gone through when they may be destroyed if no longer required

15. It is desirable that ev ry man should ride his own hor e in the competition but care should be taken that

G O 41—concld

timid and vicious horses are not ridden in these encounters but after proper training at 'attack and defence drill ther should be few of these.

16 In class Regiments the competition should be carried out by squadrons. In class half squadron Regiments Commanding Officers are at liberty to use their discretion as to carrying it out by half squadrons the winners of the two halves of a squadron contending for the Squadron Prize.

17 Commanding Officers should take measures that every recruit before dismissal be thoroughly instructed first in attack and defence drill, and afterwards in loose play so that he may be prepared to enter for these encounters.

FORM A

1st Squadron *Regiment of*

Dated at *the* *of* *189*

Result of competition for Squadron and ½ Squadron Prizes for the year

Regimental No.	Rank and Name.		* 1st Assault.		
			1	2	3
560	Duffadar	Ram Singh ...	W	W	...
~~[illegible]~~	~~Sowar~~	~~Lall Singh~~	~~—~~	~~—~~	~~—~~
934	Sowar	Prem Singh ...	W	—	W
~~401~~	~~Sowar~~	~~Khuda Bakhsh~~	~~—~~	~~—~~	~~—~~

The same form for subsequent assaults, only substituting 2nd or 3rd assault competition.

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Form B

Prizes for *Practice* *Regiment of*

Annual Return of Practice

the above Corps showing by ½ Squadrons the men eligible for Prizes, and the competition for the Regimental Prize

Station dated of 189

Troops.	Strength (½ Squadron)			Number competing				Plus or minus of ¾ of strength.	Rank and name of winner in each troop as shown by Squadron (or ½ Squadron) Return.	Recommended for.	Remarks.
	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Trumpeters.	Lance Dafadars and Sowars.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Trumpeters.	Lance Dafadars and Sowars.	Total.				
A			44	6		49	55	+ 4	Dafadar Khe-bi Ram	Regimental Prize.	
									Sowar Lal Singh.	½ Squadron Prize.	
B	9		30	7		30	37	— 1	Lance Dafadar Prem Singh.	Squadron Prize.	Prize not admissible.
C	8		35	8	—	54	62	+ 17	Sowar Ram Singh.	Squadron Prize.	
									Dafadar Khush Ram	½ Squadron Prize	
D	9	—	60	7		53	60	+ 4	Lance Dafadar Fateh Singh.	½ Squadron Prize	

Deduct [illegible] not joined the Ranks.

G O 42.—Returns—British—Registers of Marriage.

Registers of marri g s and extracts therefrom

Under instructions from the Under Secretary of State fcr War, in future the entries in Army* Book 112 and Army Form A 43 relating to the parties contracting the marriage and the witnesses to the ceremony should contain the *full* Christian names and not only initials

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G O 43—Books—Forms.

The following has been introduced —

Army Form B-296 — Monthly Report Armament Artificers, Royal Artillery issued gratis at 24 copies annually to Officers Commanding Royal Artillery at stations where Armament Artificers are located

2 The following have been revised —

Army Form C 315 —' Examination paper No 2, Arithmetic, for second class certificate of education

Army Form C 2107 — Examination paper for second cla s certificate of education to accompany Army F rm C 315

All examinations for second class certificates ... cation from the 1st October 1894 will be held on revised forms The old stock of both the forms sh... destroyed

Army Form C-320 —" School Inspection Rep... mental will be taken into u e at once the old ... destroyed

Army Book 88 — Visitors Book Infant ... be taken into use at once in supersess... stock

India Army Form 186 —" Requisition f... The old stock should be used up before th... taken into use

G O 43—contd

3. The following have been cancelled —

India Army Form 62 — Numerical Return of In valids

India Army Form 102 —" Arrival and departure report, Veterinary Department.

4 In India Army Form 225.—"List of forms etc., against Army Form B-265 in the column of remarks, *for* "2 *substitute* 3

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G O 44 —Books —Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations, India, Vol II Discipline —

1 Para 1 o N After the words ' Staff Corps in line 1, *add* or Indian Medical Service

2 Para 217 B. *Dele* the words " and in certain cases by the military authorities in second and third lines

Cancel clauses (*d*), ( ) and (*f*)

Clause (*g*) *Dele* from ' the reports in line 1 to ' as well as in line 4

3 Para 1318 (as revised by G O 28 of 1890) *Dele* the footnote through the Adjutant General, Madras or Bombay and in the first line after the words ' General Officers Commanding *insert* the words ' Districts in the three Presidencies

4 Para 1751 (as corrected by G O 18 of 1893) After the word officers in line 3 *add* " on garrison duty "

5 Para 2704 VII After 2670 in the first line *insert* and clauses (*a*) to (*g*) and after 2680 *insert* " 2681

G O 45.—Veterinary Department.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations, India Volume VIII, ' Veterinary ' —

Para 109 *Expunge* the words ' on India Army Form No 102 in fifth line

Para 110 *Expunge* the words on India Army Form No 102 in fourth line.

Para 272 is reconstructed as follows —

" 272 Hospital necessaries obtainable in the local market are supplied by the Commissariat Department

' *Indents in duplicate signed* by the officers in veterinary charge for six months tending 31st March and 30th September should be submited on the 15th March and 15th September to the Commissariat Department for compliance

G O 44 — Books — Regulations.

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G O 45—contd

Appendix V *Dele* the entry, "India Army Form 102, arrival and departure reports, &c

G O 46.—Transport Regulations. [Qr Mr Genl.]

The following alterations are made in Army Regulations, India, Volume X —

PART I

Para 426 *is reconstructed* as follows —

"426 Native commissioned officers and soldiers, also military hospital assistants dismissed the army for misconduct while on foreign service or located beyond the limits of their own presidency, as well as their families (on condition that the wives are natives of India, and were authorised to accompany the regiments at the public expense) will be given a free passage by sea to the nearest port of their presidency at which they can be most conveniently landed

Passages by private vessels will not be granted when there is a prospect of Government vessels being available within a reasonable time

PART II.

Para 45 For the full stop *insert* a comma, and *add* "except for journeys performed by doolie dâk by night on the Dunera Dalhousie road

Para 208 The second clause is *reconstructed* as under —

"Payment will be made at ordinary tariff rates for the class of vehicle used on the actual number of animals conveyed but when despatched by railways which quote a lower rate for animals carried at owner's risk than at railway risk, despatching officers must note on the warrants that the animals are sent at owner's risk, and in such cases a risk note on Form B (copies of which are procurable at railway station) should also be signed and attached to the warrant. Despatching officers will be held personally responsible that the above orders are carried out, in order that the higher rates are not charged "

G O 46—contd

Para 232 The scales of accommodation on pages 58 and 59 are *reconstructed* as follows —

For officers, troops, families, and followers —

1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
European c mmissioned officers d others of relative r k with them, native aides-de-camp t the V ceroy Governors, nd Com nders-i Chief the chief clerks of the offices of the Adjuta t Gen ral nd Quarter M ster General in India and their families ( ).	Warrant officers and their families ( ) *Schoolmasters* and their families ( ). Schoolmistresses. Bandmasters (not enlisted men). British troops and their families ( ) *Native officers* — } and their families ( ) Native no commissioned officers. } and their families ( ) Hospital Assistants — } and their families ( ) Native rank nd file (*For exceptio s, see under third class.*)	Native non-commissioned fficers and m proceed g on or retur i g from furlo gh or t vell g si gly r in mall p rties not eedi four in number and their families (*a*) Famili s of native soldiers (except o -c mmissioned fficers, *old* and class) fficers' servants, and all other followers, public and private ( ).

(*a*) The term "family" has used i these rules comprises only wife and children.

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G O 46—contd

Para 233 Clause IV is *reconstructed* as below —

IV —Native non-commissioned officers and men receive the same accommodation as British troops, except when proceeding on furlough, or travelling singly or in small parties not exceeding four in number when third class warrants are issued

The families of native soldiers except non commissioned officers, receive the same accommodation as followers

Para 326 page 82 In note (*d*), after the word ' district in second line *insert* or Military Secretary to the Viceroy for the Body Guard and after the word ' district in seventh line *insert* or Military Secretary to the Viceroy for the Body Guard

Para 357 At beginning of the addition to clause (I) as reconstructed by G O 26 of 1892 *insert*—' In addition to the native servants allowed to the port of embarkation

Para 377 At end of the para *add* ' (*see also para* 208)

Insert the following as para. 609 —

609. Regimental tailors (b in British soldiers) sent from regimental head quarters to detachments at out stations for fitting and altering clothing are allowed free passage "

Appendix XIV Rail Warrant Form C

In column 4 of th warrant *insert* " Ea h item to be filled in separately by person travelling

Add the following to the first certificate at foot

Also that th weight ente ed for camp equipage of commissioned, warrant, and native officers includes tents and their component parts only and not camp furniture, etc '

On reverse against the headings ' Personal baggage ' and Camp equipage *place* a † and *add* the following footnote

† The allowance of c mp equipage uthorised for commi n ned, w r nt nd nati officer is l tend I to c er th co veyance of te ts and their component parts ly Camp furniture and all other p rso al effects c me under the head of " Perso al bagg ge

G O 46—concld

(Pending a reprint of Rail Warrant Form C these additions will be made to all warrants in writing)

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Under present entry 2 in fourth column of table, for Doolie *substitute* ' Doolies, with six bearers each for ordinary travellers and eight for invalids requiring bedding and to travel expeditiously

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G O 47 —Horses—Officers Chargers

In continuation of G O 2 of 1892 it is notified that the standard height for the chargers of mounted officers of all regiments of native infantry except those serving in Burma and Assam shall be not less than 13 hands 3 inches nor as a rule more than 14 hands 2 inches In exceptional cases General Officers may sanction the purchase of horses over 14 hands 2 inches, and officers now in possession of chargers over that height may retain them if in all other respects fit for parade purposes.

2 The Commander in Chief having noticed during his tour last winter that some animals ridden by mounted officers of native infantry are of a very inferior stamp, and quite unfit to be classed as chargers, His Excellency directs that all Commanding Officers chargers shall be passed by General Officers Commanding districts and those of other officers by commandants of regiments. They must be sound free from *vice* steady on parade, trained to stand fire and in every respect fit for the purpose for which they are intended and except Arabs, stallions should not be allowed

3 It is hoped that these rules will enable officers to provide themselves at moderate prices with thoroughly serviceable horses of suitable quality and appearance

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G O 48 —Books Forms.

The following have been introduced —

1 *Army Book 4* " Plain foolscap with blotting attached, for use at military examinations, issued gratis Copies will be obtainable from the Contractors for Printing Govern

G O 48—contd.

ment of India Stock Forms in the manner detailed in G O C C No 704 of 1894

Army Form B 202 "Application to reckon former service for pension, re-enlisted man, issued gratis, as required

2 The following has been revised —

Army Form C 321 ' Monthly School Report on Adult and Elder Children's School ' will not be taken into use until the stock in hand has been exhausted

3 The following have been cancelled —

Army Form B 191 Certificate showing whether men have been trained in the use of the magazine rifle The form was introduced by G O 30 of 1893 and is no longer to be rendered

Army Form B 219 ' Men recommended for restoration of forfeited service

4 In India Army Form 225 ' List of forms &c " in the column ' Battery Royal Horse Artillery and Royal Artillery " against India Army Form 164, *insert* a star (*)

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G O 45.—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations India Vol II Discipline

Para. 4 Opposite "3rd Bengal Cavalry in column three *for* Drab *read* Blue, in column four *for* "Blue *read* Yellow and opposite "1st Gurkha Light Infantry in column three *insert* 'Dark green and in column four insert Scarlet'

Para 489 *Add* the following clause — No prisoner shall be put in irons, or under any other mechanical restraint as a punishment. Irons or other means of mechanical restraint shall be used only when necessary for the purpose of restraining the prisoner

Add new para —

1670 (*a*) The instructions relating to the submission of arrival and departure reports, &c, laid down in paras 1644, 1645 and 1646 (*a*) are applicable to honorary commissioned and warrant officers and members of the subordinate medical department proceeding to or returning from England on furlough.

Para. 2501 (as amended by G O No. 56 of 1888 and No 100 of 1890) —

Expunge the words 'and in the case of Madras in triplicate in the last line of the para.

G O 50.—Barrack Department—Regulations. (Qr Mr Genl.)

With the sanction of the Government of India, the following corrections are made in the Bengal Barrack Regulations —

Para. 155 as reconstructed by G O 62 of 1890

Military Department No. 2490 M W dated 16th August 1894.

Add the following below the entry "Departmental officers and subordinates,"

Pensioners { To the Pay Examiner of the circle in which the pensioner is paid,

and at the end of the para. after the word accepted" *add*—

As regards the adjustment of rents to be recovered by the Pay Examiner from pensioners see paras. 158-A and 158-B.

G O 50—concld

Para 157 At end *add*—

A Pay Examiner is not a collecting officer for the purposes of this rule as regards pensioners occupying public quarters inasmuch as he is not in a position to keep the Executive Engineer informed when a pensioner takes possession of quarters, or when he is likely to vacate them

Para. 158 *Omit* the last five words

Insert the following new paras —

158 A Rent Lists on account of pensioners should be forwarded so as to reach the Pay Examiner on or before the last day of each month to enable the necessary recovery to be effected from the pensioners concerned for the month for which rent is due

158-B Public quarters are to be let to pensioners only on their furnishing the Executive Engineer with a written authority to deduct the amount of the monthly rent (which should be clearly specified) from their pensions as they fall due. This authority which will be retained by the Pay Examiner is to be sent to him with the first rent roll. On the necessary recoveries being effected by the Pay Examiner they will be adjusted to the credit of the Military Works Department

Military Department No. 2529-M W dated 28th August 1894

Appendix A (page 177 edition of 1878 page 172, reprint of 1886) *insert* the following —

1	2	3	4		5	
Letter.	Articles.	Where required and for what purpose.	Authorised proportion.		Barrack Regulations.	
					Section	Para.
S	Slop-pails (special pattern).	Numerated pattern cook-houses. For collection and conveyance of refuse water to receptacles	1	per cook-room.	—	—

G O 51 — Transport Regulations (Quarter Master General)

The following alterations are made in Army Regulations Vol X —

PART I

Paras 302 and 305 are *cancelled* and the following *substituted* —

302 Honorary Commissioned and Warrant Officers retired on the English rate of pension are granted entitled passages or the regulated rate of passage money if proceeding to England and are allowed a lien on this passage for twelve months or such further period as may be necessary to enable them to obtain a passage for their families by troopship

This concession is granted on the understanding that at the expiration of six months from the date of being struck off duty they will be restricted to the Indian rate of pension.

Should however a retired Honorary Commissioned or Warrant Officer proceed home without his family owing to there being no accommodation available for them on the same vessel the family will be granted an *entitled* passage by a subsequent troopship

Para. 537 is *reconstructed* as follows —

"537 The families of all Warrant Officers of the Indian Army granted passages to or from England pay messing rates according to scale I (*for exceptions vide para 524*)

G O. 52. – Medical Department – Nurses.

Officers Commanding Regiments of British Cavalry Battalions of British Infantry and Hill Depôts which are not in possession of the diagrams referred to in para. 6 of G O No 30 of 1894 are directed to procure the same from Messrs. Smith Elder & Co. 15 Waterloo Place London, W or through Messrs. Thacker & Co., Bombay (*vide* Adjutant General in India's circular No 5214 C. dated 28th September 1888)

The cost of the diagrams will be charged to the regimental (private) library or other fund as the Commanding Officer may decide

G O 53.—Books—Forms.

1 Th following have been introduced —

India Army Form 147 —Form of Sheet roll ap plicable to the Bombay Sappers and Miners only Issued gratis as required

India Army Form 194 —' Annual Confidential Report on ... Depots ... supplied gratis, and issuable to General Officers Commanding Districts at three copies per depôt.

2 The following have been revised —

Army Form B 139 —"Annual Return of certificates of Education This return will in future be submitted in duplicate to the General Officer Commanding the District who will forward one copy to the Adjutant General to the Forces Horse Guards War Office and the other copy to the Director of Military Education in India Simla.

India Army Form 369 — Book signalling message, with two sheets of carbon and a pencil has taken the place of " Army Book 119 A with a carbon and pencil.

3. The following have been cancelled —

Army Form N 1522 — Settlement of accounts troop battery or company certificate of (monthly)

India Army Form 235 —' Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of——Regiment employed in the——Department, or under instruction at Rurkee College, British Army Bengal The form is to be struck off India Army Form 225 List of Forms &c.

In India Army Form 225, List of Forms, &c, in the column of remarks against India Army Form 110 *insert* the words ' District or Station Staff offices and Royal Artillery Circle offices, as required

By order of

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W GALBRAITH, *Major General*,

Adjutant General in India

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G O 54.—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations, India, Vol. II "Discipline —

In para 107 last line but one, substitute '119 for "111'

Para. 1004 is reconstructed as follows —

1004 General Officers Commanding Districts have the power of ordering that Sardars and Tindals of Lascars and 1st class Lascars shall be deprived of their position and revert to duty in a lower class of their respective grades, or in a lower grade for misconduct or inefficiency

Para. 1356 is reconstructed as follows —

1356. The authorised complement of signallers of each regiment or battery will as far as possible be inspected annually by one of the Inspectors or their assistants, who will give due notice to Officers Commanding in order that the necessary arrangements may be made. The examination will consist of the following tests and will be carried out as under —

No 1 test —Heliograph sending and reading in pairs.

To be carried out in the same manner as in British Corps —*vide* paragraph 1347

No 2 test —Small flag sending and reading in pairs.

The signallers will be divided into two parties at about 400 yards distance Each man will send and *read* (with the naked eye) one test message Maximum rate, 1 15"

No 3 test —Heliograph reading from an Assistant Instructor

Distance about one mile Each man will *read* two test messages the better of the two to be credited to the reader Maximum rate 1 0"

No 4 test —Lamp reading from an Assistant Instructor

Distance about 500 yards Each man will *read* two test messages, the better of the two to be credited to the reader Maximum rate 1 15"

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No 5 test —Two service messages will be sent with small flag through one intermediate station The better message of the two to count towards the regimental figure of merit

The figure of merit will be made up by taking the average reading and sending of 12 men in pairs, and the average reading from the Assistant Instructor on Heliograph and Lamp adding the figure-of merit obtained in the service message test

A regiment or battalion producing less than 12 men or a battery producing less than 4 men, for inspection will not be given a figure-of merit

On the conclusion of each inspection the Inspecting Officer will submit a report to the General Officer Commanding the District showing the number of signallers inspected the number found efficient and the state of the equipment and will, at the same time furnish each Commanding Officer with a nominal roll showing the signallers found efficient and eligible to receive the authorised bonus

In the case of corps which it may not be found possible to inspect the Commanding Officer will determine the efficiency of his signallers and those considered eligible for the bonus and will submit on the 15th March through the General Officer Commanding to the Inspector of the Circle a report on India Army Form No 115 showing the progress made during the year

On the conclusion of the inspections, the Inspectors will submit a compiled annual return to the Quarter Master General in India, so as to reach Simla by the 1st April bringing to notice the proficiency of the several corps and any other points deserving of notice

A monthly return on India Army Form 355 will be prepared by Officers Commanding regiments and batteries and forwarded quarterly through the General Officer Commanding to the Inspector of the Circle

G O 54—contd

Para. 1631 A —*Add* "Officers on the establishment of the Military Works Department should apply for privilege leave on Public Works Department Form 115 as the leave is granted under Civil Service Regulations Attached officers are under military rules and should use India Army Form 25

Para 2230 —The second clause as reconstructed by G O 18 of 1894 is cancelled and the following substituted —

Special enlistments made under the conditions of this para require the sanction of the General Officer Commanding the District.

Para 2245 —In line 3 for the words Officer Commanding the station *read* ' Officers Commanding the regiments to which they may be temporarily attached

In lines 4 and 5 for the words " Officers Commanding stations are *read* and who will be converting the full stop after the word below" into a comma.

At the end of the certificate *for* Commanding station" *insert* Commanding regiment.

Para. 2440 —Add the following clause —

"When a duplicate medal is issued on payment to a native soldier the clasp in his possession should be retained by him and affixed to the medal privately at his own expense"

Para. 2664 A (as reconstructed by G O 32 of 1894) — *After* " officer in the first line *insert* of the Military or Covenanted Civil Service and at the end of the para *add* Civil Officers should only be detailed when Military Officers are not availal !

Para. 2674 —Between the and " Civil in the first line, *insert* " Covenanted

G O 54—concld

Para. 2680 —*Add* at the end of the para

' In the case of a candidate having been examined both by the higher and lower standards on the same date, a note of the fact should be made by the President of the Board when submitting the report on the higher standard examination to the Secretary Board of Examiners, or to the Civil and Military Examination Committee, as the case may be

Para. 2853 —*Add* the following —

The troops must invariably be commanded by a British Officer

G O 55.—Clothing—Dress.

The following corrections and additions are made to Army Regulations India, Vol. VII —

Section I page 13, lines 9 and 10 —*For* the words ' Bengal (Madras and Bombay) *substitute* Native

Section XVIII page 133 line 29 to read—*Blouse* (to be worn by officers in Review Order when parading with their men)

Page 134 line 2 —*For* Hyderabad Contingent Cav airy *substitute* ' Regimental

Page 134 footnote —*Add* " Steel spurs are worn with hot weather clothing

Page 135, line 25.—*Insert* the following fresh para. —

Coat —As for Bengal Cavalry see Section XI page 56 but with welt of the regimental facings up the sleeves and round the collar and cuffs and without Russia gimp Collar cut square and fastening with two hooks and eyes Regimental number with letters L. H C in brass on shoulder straps

Page 135 line 38 —*Expunge* the word ' figured "

Page 136 line 39, after the word " saddle Insert universal pattern and from lines 40 and 41, *expunge* from ' A Leopard skin " to the end of the para

Page 137, line 20 —*Expunge* " white throat ornament

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Page 102—Between "27th Regiment' and ' 29th Regiment *insert* —

28th Regiment	A ten pointed star of gilt metal surmounted by a crown. On the star a silver 28 within a silver garter inscribed Regiment M I surmounted by a silver laurel wreath Below a silver scroll inscribed Mahidpore, Ava, Nagpore.	On helmet by British officers
	A brass 28 within a brass garter inscribed Madras Infantry surmounted by a crown	On turban by Native Officers and other ranks

Page 7, under the heading Kamarbands,' between Royal Artillery and Scottish Rifles, *insert* " East Kent Regiment—Buff

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G O 56—Discharge Regulations.

The following corrections* are made in the ' Regulations for the discharge of British Soldiers serving in India" —

* Military Department letter N 2562-A., dated 20th September 1854.

Para 21—Expunge lines 6 and 7 relating to Military Account Form 222.

Para 67—Expunge from the words ' A copy " in line 11 to the end of the para.

Para. 147—Expunge the sub-para., commencing a copy of"

Appendix III—Expunge the column " Savings Bank return (Military Account Form 222 *vide* para. 147)" Under the heading Paymaster expunge the column " Statement of Savings Bank balance with remittance

G O 57—Births, Marriages and Deaths.

1 In supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the following instructions are to be strictly observed in preparing the registers* and extracts† from registers of births, marriages and deaths.

* Army Books 112 113, and 114.
† Army Forms A-42, A 43, and A 44.

2 The attention of General and other officers concerned is called to the incorrect manner in which in many instances these returns have hitherto been prepared As they are required for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the registration of births marriages and deaths (Army Act) 1879 great care should be exercised by all concerned in their compilation in order to avoid the trouble and waste of time in returning them for revision

When all the information required in any particular extract cannot be given such extract (concerning any particular individual) should be held back until it can be completed or full explanation should be furnished showing why the information cannot be afforded Extracts so held back should be transmitted when complete as soon as possible after the half yearly period

3 Registers kept by General Officers Commanding Districts are to include only casualties among General Officers and Officers of Her Majesty's British service seconded and on half pay and those serving as probationers for the Staff Corps and their families Non commissioned officers and men are not to be included in these registers. Officers Commanding native corps and hill depôts are not required to keep up these returns

4 The registers kept up by Officers Commanding batteries regiments and battalions should not include casualties occurring among non commissioned officers and men on the Unattached List, such casualties being included in the registers prepared by the Departments in which the men are serving (for exceptions see para. 12)

5 For officers of Her Majesty's British service serving on the staff (seconded or on half pay) and those serving as probationers for the Staff Corps one set of half yearly extracts only are required for each district

6 It is unnecessary to prepare separate sets of extracts for each individual officer or non commissioned

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officer serving in any department. One set only of half yearly extracts is required for each branch, division circle, or section of a department

7 The word "station" used in the note at foot of these forms should be interpreted in the broad sense of the word *i e.*, returns should only be furnished for broken periods when leaving a recognized station, such as the Mediterranean or West Indian station and not when moving from one cantonment to another on the East Indian station

8 Births marriages or deaths which occur *out of the United Kingdom only* should be entered in these documents (*vide* para. 67 section XXII, Queen's Regulations and orders for the Army)

9 When no births marriages or deaths have occurred a complete set of three returns* should be rendered with the word *Nil* inserted therein

*Nos A 42, A-43 and A 44.

10 Each form should be signed by the officer rendering it, in the space set apart for the purpose at the foot of the forms

11 The heading on the front and the docket on the back of each extract are to be completed showing the designation of the corps making the return the station where the return is prepared and the dates for the half yearly period for which rendered.

12 Domestic occurrences connected with *Departmental Warrant Officers* and their families on the Unattached List are not to be entered in these registers as they belong to the Indian Service As regards Warrant Officers promoted under the terms of the Royal Warrant for pay and promotion and non-commissioned officers on the Unattached List not belonging to Departments but serving as per margin, their domestic occurrences are to be included in the registers kept up by the

( ) Permanent Staff of Hill Depot
(*b*) Chief Warders of Military prisons (not being Warrant Officers).
(*c*) Volunteer Instructors.
(*d*) Assistant Sergeants at School of Musketry
( ) Gymnastic Instructors.
(*f*) Garrison Quarter Master Sergeants.
(*g*) Cantonment Sergeants
(*h*) Non-Commissioned Officers employed in the Lawrence Military Asylum

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corps on the rolls of which they are borne as supernumer aries

13 When the original registers are filled up, they are to be forwarded to the Adjutant General s Office for trans mission to the War Office When a corps quits India for the United Kingdom, the registers then in possession whether filled up or not are to be similarly disposed of When a unit returns its registers they will be accompanied by any subsidiary registers which may have been kept by a detachment whether such subsidiary registers be completed or not.

14 When extracts are returned for any alteration whatever, great care is to be taken that corresponding corrections are made in the registers so as to make the ex tracts to the very letter what they are certified to be, namely, *extracts from the registers*

15. In all cases when Christian and surnames have to be entered in the registers, the Christian names are to come first, and not after the surname

16 Army Book 112 and Army Form A 42 " Births " should contain the following information —

(*a*) *Column 1* —Date and station

(*b*) *Column 2 or 10* —Christian names only

(*c*) *Column 3* —Sex

(*d*) *Column 4* —Christian surname and nationality of father, nationality to be shown thus "English " Irish, 'Scotch, "Welsh", etc., as the case may be.

(*e*) *Column 5* —The rank of father and regimental number if a soldier

(*f*) *Column 6* —Christian and maiden surname of mother only

(*g*) *Column 7* —Name description and residence (station) of informant

(*h*) *Column 8* —Date and station.

(*i*) *Column 9* —Name of officer making the return

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17 Army Book 113 and Army Form A 43 "Marriages

(a) *Column 1*—Station and date

(b) *Column 2*—Christian surname and nationality of both parties Nationality to be shown thus English, 'Irish Scotch, "Welsh etc as the case may be

(c) *Columns 3 to 7*—As required by the several headings of the columns and must invariably relate to *both* parties to the marriage

(d) *Column 8*—In case of the fathers of the parties being deceased the fact should be so noted as the word *Nil* cannot be accepted

(e) When the parties in a marriage are having the occurrence recorded in the departmental or regimental register both they and the witnesses should be required to sign or give their Christian names in *full* in the place set apart for the purpose.

(f) Underneath column 7, in the space between the words by and by me" should be entered banns or ' license" as the case may be, and not the name of the Minister performing the ceremony which latter information should be entered immediately below together with the designation of the Minister performing the ceremony

18 Army Book 114 and Army Form A 44 Deaths

(a) *Column 1*—Station and date

(b) *Column 2*—Christian surname and nationality as in Form 43.

(c) *Column 5*—Rank and regimental number if a soldier

(d) *Column 7*—Name description and residence (station) of informant

(e) *Column 8*—Station and date

(f) *Column 9*—Name of Officer

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19. As the dates of birth or death as entered in column 1 of Army Books 112 and 114 are often at variance with the date of registration in column 8 these dates should also be examined to see that no error exists in this respect

20 The extracts from regiments, batteries and battalions will be collected on 30th June and 31st December in each year under the orders of General Officers Commanding Districts in the Bengal Presidency and after strict scrutiny and correction are to be forwarded to the Adjutant General s Office Simla

21 General Officers Commanding Districts will be good enough to issue instructions that when the half yearly extracts are received in District Staff Offices from Officers Commanding Corps, each extract before transmission to this Office is to undergo most careful scrutiny to ensure full and correct particulars being recorded in each of the several columns as required by the printed headings

22 When it becomes necessary to return for correction or completion either of the forms relating to any individual corps the whole set of 3 should be returned to the corps concerned to prevent the set of extracts becoming divided and when a set has been returned for any cause this fact is not to delay the despatch of other corps returns to the Adjutant General s Office Simla.

23. After being examined and found correct the documents should be transmitted to Simla in *regimental* sets and not the whole of the extracts of one District Command relating to births marriages or deaths done up in separate bundles

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G O 58 Drill and Instruction—Musketry—Books.

Army Order No 57 dated 1st April 1893 is republished for information —

A O 57 —Revised Regulations for Musketry Instruction—Lee Metford Rifle and Carbine—Martini Henry Rifle and Carbine and Martini Metford Carbine

G O 58—contd

1 The following revised editions have been approved and will be issued to all concerned —

(1) Regulations for Musketry Instru tion Lee Metford Rifle and Carbine 1894

(2) Regulation for Musketry Instruction Martini Henry I ifle and Carbine and Martini Metford Carbine 1894

2 The Pegulations for Musketry Instruction promulgated by Army Order 66 of 1892 are hereb, cancelled as are also the f llowing Army Orders –

Army Order 66 (as regards the Regulations for Musketry In truction) 102 154 and 238 (and the amendment issued therewith) of 1892

In India the Regulations will have effect from the 1st April 1894

G O 59—Native Army—Bo ks.

The following addition is made to the Instructions for Regimental Accounts Native Infantry 1892 —

Para 20 —*Add* the following clause No money is to be withdrawn from a banked deposit except by a cheque drawn by the Treasure Chest Committee and endorsed by the Commanding Officer

G O 60 – Rewards – Order of British India—Order of Merit.

Under instructions from the Governm nt of India * t is notified in mod fcat on of G O 108 of 1868 that the cest of tle decorati ns f tle Ord rs f I ritish India and Merit has been altered as follows —

* Military Dep t t 1st No 1530 dated 14th Sep t mbe 1894

Ord r of Bri sh India

1st Cla s from	I 86 to Rs 100
2nd	I s 72 to Rs 82

G O 60—contd

Order of Merit

1st Class from	Rs 86 to Rs 100
2nd „ „	Rs 44-8 to Rs 48
3rd „ „	Rs 16 to Rs 18

G O 61 —Veterinary Department—Schools.

The following corrections are made in G O 43 of 1891 amended by G O 44 of 1892 —

Para. 2 page 98 —Substitute the following for 3rd 4th and 5th lines —

' assisted by a competent interpreter for the Native class

Para. 3 page 98 —Substitute 'one *for* officers one for Europeans and one for Natives" for one exclusively for officers, and two for other ranks in 1st and 2nd lines

Para 5 page 98 —*Add* for Europeans *after* "January in 2nd line, and for Natives after 'April' in 3rd line

Para 5 page 99 —Substitute "four" for 'two" in 4th line eight for four in 5th line,' two men for "one man in 6th line

G O 62—Books—Forms.

1 The following have been introduced —

India Army Form 406 —' Envelope for enclosing questions for the examination of candidates for first class certificates of education Issued gratis to the Director of Military Education in India as required

India Army Form 407 —' Envelope for enclosing questions for the examination of candidates for second and third class certificates of education Issued gratis to Inspectors of Army School's in India, as required

G O 62—contd

2 The following have been revised

India Army Form 197—Result of examination of candidates for the appointment of Pupil Teacher in Army Schools Will be supplied to Inspectors of Army Schools for use in supersession of existing stock.

India Army Form 210— Supplement to monthly School Report. Will be taken into use when the present stock is exhausted.

3 The following has been cancelled —

Army Form B 90— Nominal Return of fraudulently and irregularly enlisted men (half yearly)

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G O – 63 Books – Regulations

The following corrections are mad in Army Regulations India, Vol II Di cipline

Para 1839 —Dele from The appointment ' in line 8 to only in line 10 and substitute The appointment of Superintendent of Issues and Writer in Cavalry Infantry and at hill depôts is a permanent one the holder being liable to removal for neglect or misconduct only In the Royal Artillery the appointment will be held by a staff sergeant or sergeant recommended for promotion the tenure being limited to 6 months renewable at the dis cretion of the Officer Commanding Royal Artillery at the station

Insert th following as paragraph 1924 A —

19 4 A —Lands included in cantonments and not im mediately requ r d for buil ling or other purposes may be let on short lea es for gra ing r cultivation

Para 1979 — Add th following —

Lands included in Cantonments and not immediately required for building or other purposes may be let on short leases for grazing or cultivation

Para 2179 (e) — A d a fresh clause —

On a reserve man being permitted to proceed to England to join the reserve in that country Pay Examiners of Circles conc rned will forward to the Adjutant General in India, for transmission to the Home authorities, the usual transfer statement showing to what date the man was settled with for pay before leaving India and the state ment of account

Para 2362 — Aft r the word gratuity in line 3 of the fi st clau e ad l or or l r of m t allow in

Ad l as clau e 3 —

The C n roll r of Military A count on ned will be responsibl that prompt acti n i taken towards s curing for the wid w of pe on r who wer memler of the ord r of ia rit the llow in admi ibl to them for three years a ter th ir hu band dec ase

Para 538 — At end of parag aph insert " State tele grams to Ceyl n may however be tran mitted direct "

G O 63—contd

Para. 25/6—Under the heading 'Yearly' expunge 'Return of men on the Unattached List" and entries against it

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G O—64—Books—Regulations.

The following corrections are made to Army Regulations India, Volume VIII, Veterinary —

Insert the following new paragraph —

"55-A—Veterinary Officers will afford professional aid on urgent occasions to Government stallions located on the line of railway provided that their services can be spared from their stations

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G O—65—Transport—Regulations (Qr Mr Genl.)

The following alterations are made in Army Regulations India Volume X

PART I

Para 11 is *cancelled*

Para 174 (*ii*) is *reconstructed* as follows —

(ii) When a Medical Board may declare a passage *via* Suez to be positively dangerous to health or a long sea voyage essentially necessary or that a voyage to England or to any place on the homeward route of the trooping service would not in their opinion be a proper change of climate in which case passage money will be allowed under the conditions applicable to the non trooping season in paragraph 198

The rule in this clause is also applicable to subalterns of the Indian service and surgeon lieutenants of the Indian Medical Service invalided

PART II

Paras 229 and 230 are *re constructed* as follows —

"229—A suite of specially constructed State carriages has been placed at the Commander in Chief's disposal consisting of the following —

State Saloon No 50—For His Excellency's personal use

State Saloon No 47—For officers of the personal staff the number to be accommodated is not to exceed the number of sleeping berths in the carriage

G O 65—contd

State Carriage No 52—Kitchen

When travelling by ordinary or mail trains on broad gauge lines, State saloons Nos 49 and 50 only will be attached to the train for the accommodation of His Excellency and personal staff

Officers of the general staff establishments and servants will then travel on warrants finding accommodation with the general public, or obtaining reserved accommodation under the rules applicable to the general public. Horses will also travel on warrants, horse boxes being attached to trains as may be found practicable by the railway authorities.

In calculating the accommodation required for staff officers travelling in ordinary 1st class carriages not more than three officers should be allotted to a four berthed compartment and if necessary this accommodation may be obtained by warrant

229-A —Paragraph 229 applies to broad gauge railways on which alone the State saloons can run

On other than broad gauge lines His Excellency the Commander in-Chief when travelling by mail or ordinary train is entitled to a saloon carriage for himself his staff, establishments, servants and horses travelling on warrants, as in paragraph 229 The accommodation for staff officers will be calculated at the rate of two officers to a three berthed compartment.

230 —His Excellency the Commander in Ch ef is entitled to travel by *special train whenev r he deem t necessary* that he should d o

The number of vehicl omp ising a pecial train (in lu ding two brake vans) is limit d by the load for o ie eng ne as fixed by the railway ad n nistrati n c n erned for ordinary trains running at the same speed a the special train In calculating the load each bog e arriage will be counted as two vehicles, and each six wheeled veh le as one and a half vehicles

G O 63—contd

Para. 2576—Under the heading Yearly expunge "Return of men on the Unattached List and entries against it

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G O 71—Books—Regulations

The following corrections are made in Army Regulations, India, Vol II Discipline

Para 79 — *Add* at end —

And they will come under the conditions of paragraphs 74 to 78 and 115 to such extent as those conditions may be applicable in each case Second Lieutenants of over two years and three months' service from date of first commission will be promoted to the rank of Lieutenant on appointment provided they have passed in the native languages by the lower standard Officers above the rank of Second Lieutenant will carry with them the rank they hold on appointment to the Staff Corps

Para. 331 A — *Add* the following —

Officers of the Staff Corps on leave in England who have not passed Part I can with the permission of the Secretary of State for India, be admitted to garrison courses and to the examination in Part II in that country on the distinct understanding that they will pass Part I within six months of their return to their appointments in India failing which they will be required to pass Part II again (see also para. 3 chap IX section IX of these Regulations)

Para 338 —In line seven after the words " Part II *add* the words, (but see para. 331 A)

Section IX —Chapter IX is revised as follows —

Memorandum relating to Classes of Instruction which officers of the Indian Staff Corps are permitted to attend while on leave in England.

1 An officer of the Indian Staff Corps who is desirous of joining a class of instruction while on leave in England must apply in writing to the Under Secretary of State for India India Office London S W Applicants will be informed of their appointment to a class shortly before the *date fixed for its* assembling Extension of leave will not be granted to enable an officer to undergo instruction or to complete a course

2 The following table gives a summary of the principal classes of instruction —

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Classes of Instruction	Place of assembling of each class.	Approximate date of assembling of each class.	Approximate date of termination of each class.	Maximum number of officers of the Indian Army who can be permitted to attend each class.	Latest date on which applications can be received at the India Office.
Veterinary —	Army Veterinary School, Aldershot.	1st May —	1st June —	6	5th April
		1st August —	1st September —	6	5th July
Field Work and Military Topography	School of Military Engineering, Chatham.	1st April	2nd July —	4	4th March.
		1st August —	3rd November	4	10th July
Electricity and Telegraphy	Ditto —	7th June	6th August —		6th May
Signalling — —	Various stations —	1st March —	4th May	Not fixed —	5th January
		1st September	10th November —	—	15th July

For ... Army Orders ... of 1893 and Army Orders 86 and 87 of 1893 for Queen's Regulations section IX, ... subsection VII.

Field Work and Military Topography — ... Queen's Regulations, section IX, sub-section VI. The Field Work courses last from 1st April to ... and ... from 1st September to 3rd November. The Military Topography courses last from 3rd May to 2nd July and from 1st August to ... ...

Electricity and Telegraphy. Sound ... theoretical knowledge and ... are essential.

Classes ... held at the following stations — Aldershot, Colchester, Curragh, Devonport, Dublin, Edinburgh, London, Portsmouth, ... and York ... War Office will, as far as possible, comply with the wishes as to station, subject to the ... attending the class.

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3 The garrison c urses are intended to prepare officers for passing in subje ts (*c*) and (*d*) as specified in the Queen s Regulations se tion IX sub section III These are the equivalent of Part II of the examination pre cribed in Arti l 331 of Indian Army Regulations, Vol II An offi er on leave w o has n t passed Part I can only be admitted t a garr s n course and to th examination in Part II on the und r tanding that he will pass Part I within six month of his return to his appointment in India failing whi h he will be required t pass Part II again An officer who passe in Milit ry La while in England is required to pass a supplementary exa ninat n in the Indian Arti les of War and Indian Military Law on his return to India

4 The daily rates of lodging allowance when quarter are not provided are as follov —

For a field officer	6s
„ Captain	6s
Subaltern	4

To enabl an officer to receive this allowance he must send to the India Office on c mpleting th course his certificate of qualification (which will be returned) and also a certificate signed by competent authority showing that he was not provided with quarters and st ting the dates from and to which he was under in tru tion

No travelling or oth r allowan es are granted

5. Any application for permission to go through a course of instruction in gymnastics or fen ing and gle sti k practice at a military gymna a or to atten la id ing clas or any cla f n tru ti n n t pe ied i thi memorandum w ll be spe ially con dered but n lodging allowance will be grant d in r spect of any ch ur e

6 On joining a la s of in ru ti n an th r mu t tak h s uniform with him

7 Offi er of th Indian Staff C rp are n t a lmitt l to classes of mu ketry in tru tion at Hythe n r to s gnal ling courses at Al ler ho t

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8 Special attention is directed to G O C C, page 26, of 1887, which is reproduced below —

' As great inconvenience and unnecessary trouble has been caused by officers of the Indian Army on furlough in England withdrawing from clas es of instruction which they have applied for permission to join and to which after correspondence between the India Office and the War Office, they have been duly appointed it is notified that those who have received permission to join schools or classes of instruction in England will not except under very special circumstances be allow d to withdraw their names

Para 1529, as inserted by G O 15 of 1892, is re con structed as follows —

No non-commissioned officer or soldier proceeding to his home on discharge hould be granted a pass to carry a rifle but he may be permitte l to tak a un pistol, swor l or knife Should hi home be situated within the limits of British India le must on arrival at hi destina tion apply to the Magistrate f r l rs for a l weapon in his possession

Para 1885 A —In the list of l braries in the Bombay Presidency *expunge* 3" Infantry Dec a " added by G O 49 of 1893

Para. 2580 —Under heading 'yearly *expung* "estimate of cost of watering horses " and all entric against it

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Para 2860 is cancell l and the follow n sub titut ed —

" 2860 Before an order is given to fire on a mob the Officer Commanding shall give uch warning as in his lnion the circumstance permit and is in his power to municate or have communicated to the mob If firing l unfortunately be found neces ary and the Command er shoul l be of opinion that a slight effort woul l attain the object he is to give th word of comman l two sp cifi d files to fire If a greater effort be is to give the word of comman l to fire to as

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many files of the d tachment as he considers necessary Firing is to cease the instant it is no longer necessary Care is to be taken not to fire on persons separated from the unlawful assembly It is to be observed that to fire over the heads of a crowd engaged in an illegal pursuit, would tend to favor the most daring and guilty while sacrificing the less daring and even the innocent'

G O —72 —Transport Regulations. (Qr Mr Genl.)

The following alterations are made in Army Regulations Volume X —

PART I

Insert as paragraph 399-A —

399-A Free passage is also allowed to parents or guardians when proceeding to place children at those *institutions in the first instance only, and when returning* therefrom

PART II

Para 10 —*For* the words ' medical authority in sixth line *substitute* District Principal Medical Officer

Para 357—" footnote (2) For the fullstop at the end *substitute* a comma, and *add* or to their homes on being pensioned

Para 519 D —*For* the word (except in the Assam District where a tual expen es ar passed) again t th entry Deputy as istant adjutant g neral for mu ketry *substitute* (exc pt in the A sam Distri t see paragraph 519-F)

Insert as new para 519 F —

519-F A D put A tant Adjutant General for Musketry or an In pect r r A tant In pe tor of Army Signalling receives trav lling expen e when moving on inspection duty in the Assam Distri t a follows —

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India Army Form 90 —" Death report of a horse "

India Army Form 132-A,—" Statement to accompany India Army Form 132 "

In India Army Form 225—" List of Forms, etc.," in fourth column—'Battery Royal Horse Artillery, and Royal Artillery," against Army Form B-86—for "6" *substitute* " 12.

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